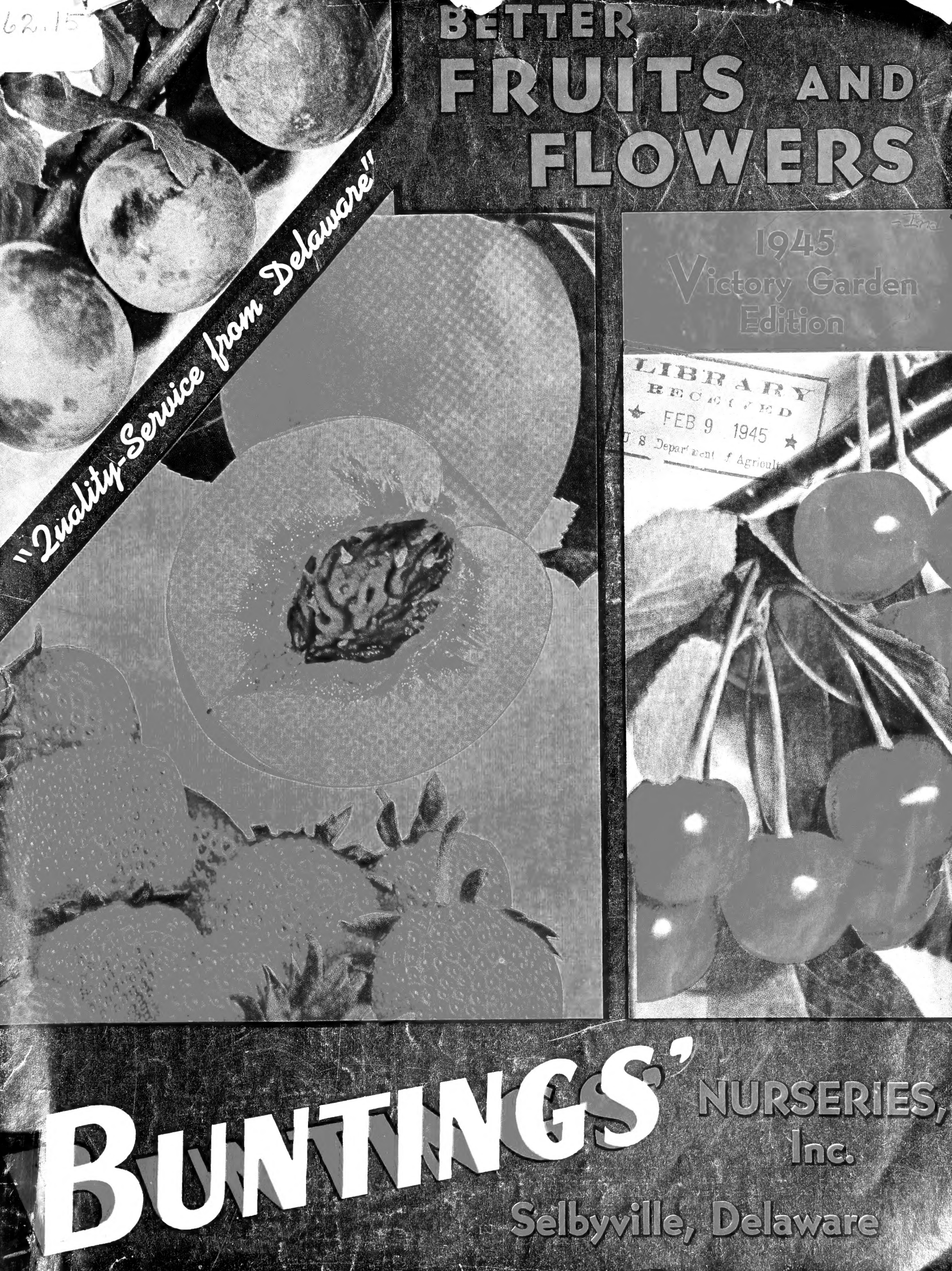


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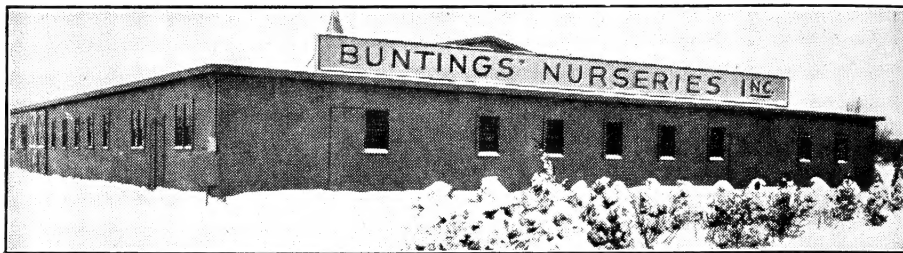
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Selbyville, Delaware



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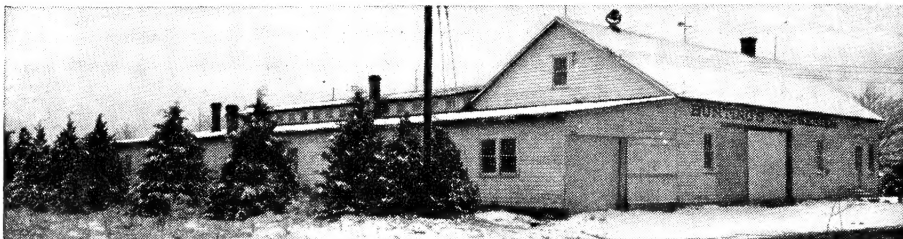


From this building approximately 100,000 parcel post orders are packed for shipment each year to all parts of the U.S.A.



From this building orders calling for roses exclusively are packed for shipment.

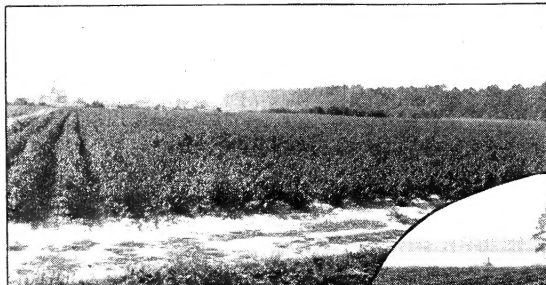
Constructed for storing bulbs over winter, an item which must be kept above freezing temperature.



Strawberry plant and asparagus orders are prepared for shipment in this building.



Close-up view of our peach trees, to show the well developed stock available.



Partial view of a large block of peach trees.

Partial view of one of Buntings' fields of bay-shore grown strawberry plants; free from disease, strong and healthy.



One of our large fields of asparagus. We estimate over a million roots in this block.



One of our many fields of grape vines for shipment this season. We grow annually a large acreage of grape vines.



Golden arbor-vitae, as grown by Buntings. Properly spaced and cared for.



Cherry trees growing in our nursery; nicely branched; with straight trunks.

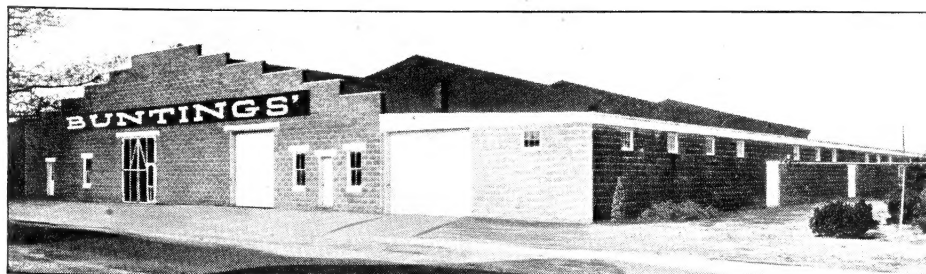
**BUNTINGS' NURSERIES**

SELBYVILLE, DELAWARE

Trees and plants must be carefully handled by the nurseryman while they are being prepared for shipment. We are justly proud of our modern packing houses, illustrated on this page to show our facilities for handling your orders. All orders are carefully packed for shipment, with damp sphagnum moss around the roots to insure the plants arriving in good condition.



# at BUNTINGS'



One of our main storage and packing buildings.



## A Message

from

SENATOR CLAYTON A. BUNTING  
President  
BUNTINGS' NURSERIES, INC.

Foremost in the minds of all Americans today is the cessation of hostilities at the earliest possible moment. Food, as usual, ranks at the top of this achievement and the production of increased supplies of all kinds of food is the farmer's and gardener's task.

Co-operation in the fullest sense is necessary in times of a national emergency to accomplish more with less; this being true we are asking our customers this season to co-operate with us by placing orders well in advance of the time of shipment, specifying approximate shipping date. Co-operation of this type will expedite the filling of all orders. Order blank enclosed for your convenience.

Many of us with an ordinary building lot have sufficient space for our own food and vegetable garden, which can be beautifully arranged with flowers. Planting and tending a garden is interesting and profitable. Grow your own fresh fruit for table use at the time of ripening, also extra for the freezing unit and canning.

Growing thrifty food producing trees and plants in greater numbers for farmers and gardeners is one of our tasks and to this end we stand pledged.

## SHIPPING SEASON

We begin filling orders in the fall as soon as our nursery stock is properly matured or ripened for transplanting, usually about October 1st, and continue digging and shipping during the entire fall and spring months. The planting season in the spring is usually over by May 20th to 25th, depending upon weather conditions and type of stock involved.

## TERMS

Cash with order, but orders will be booked if one-fourth value is received with order, remainder to be sent before time of shipment. Remit by money order, registered letter, check or draft. Prices quoted herein are F. O. B. Selbyville. We do not prepay transportation.

## GUARANTEE

We guarantee to dig, pack and ship good, clean, thrifty, well grown trees and plants, in good growing condition. Failure may result from improper planting, lack of moisture, frost, floods, over-fertilization, etc., and we cannot guarantee continued growth after stock is planted on customer's premises because this is entirely beyond our control. Claims, if any, for damage or inferior stock, must be made within five days after arrival.

## REFERENCE

We refer you to Dun & Bradstreet, Inc.; Baltimore Trust Company, of Selbyville, or any business house in Selbyville.

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One of our office buildings



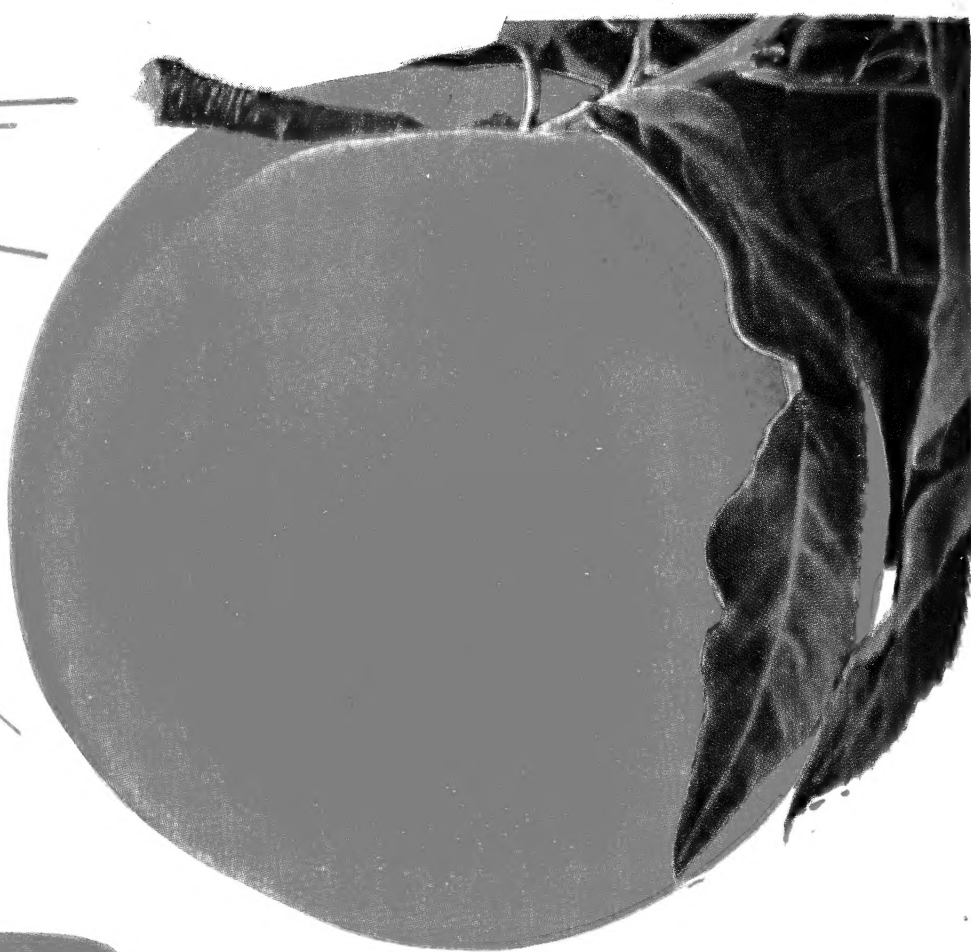


## THE PERFECT PEACH

If you are looking for the largest, richest, most beautiful Peach in the world, here it is! Everyone who sees it exclaims in wonder, "O'Boy, what a perfect Peach." So it was named O'Boy. It is round and uniformly shaped. Skin glowing orange, blushed all over with rich, dark red, even before ripe. Flesh rich orange, bright red around the pit. The red color is retained in the canned fruit and juice.

Firm of flesh and skin. You'll want to can them exclusively for your fancy table use. Perfectly freestone and self-pollenizing. Bear heavily when three years old. Don't fail to plant O'Boy this spring.

See page 7 for prices.



CHECK  
THESE  
MATCHLESS  
FEATURES

## REDHAVEN

A Grand Peach—the most promising, new, early yellow variety for either home use or commercial markets.

1. Extra Early—  
Ripens a month before Elberta.
2. Brilliant Color—  
Reddens before it ripens.
3. Fine Flavor—  
Sweet, juicy, fine textured.
4. Good Shipper—  
Firm flesh and tough skin.

A profitable commercial variety, and excellent for home use where a good quality early yellow Peach is desired.

Perfect freestone, medium to large in size, flesh yellow, fine textured, sweet and of good quality. Smooth skin, almost fuzzless; brilliant red color, with creamy yellow background. Bears heavy crops. Originated at the Michigan Experimental Station in 1930, and has since been thoroughly tested.

See page 7 for prices. Buntings' offer both Redhaven and O'Boy at regular Peach tree prices.



# ELBERTA

A CROWNING SUCCESS WITH THE ORCHARDIST AND HOME GARDENER

Everyone is familiar with the old reliable Elberta. Its attractive appearance, large size, uniformly shaped fruits are well known throughout the world. Universally planted—Elberta leads all other Peaches in number of trees producing fruit. Most popular Peach on the market. Ripens midseason, roundish with a pointed tip, thick skin; flesh yellow stained pink near the pit; juicy, firm but tender, good quality freestone. **See page 7 for prices.**



## A Leading White Peach Belle of Georgia

Large, attractive, white Peach with red cheek. Delicious flavor; one of the best market varieties. Very hardy, easy to grow. Home canners prefer Belle, and for some time it has been recognized as the best all-around white Peach on the market. **See page 7 for prices.**

Belle ripens midseason; large size, freestone. The best white Peach of its season.



## The Distinguished Golden Jubilee

Unusually hardy, resists excessive cold; a sure cropper after severe winters and heavy frosts. Medium to large in size, ripens almost four weeks ahead of Elberta, and considered to be one of the best early ripening varieties. Fine flavor, yellow freestone, attractive color and fine texture. Profitable for market, excellent for home use.

**See page 7 for prices.**

There is nothing finer grown than  
**BUNTINGS' FRUIT TREES**  
for abundant year in and year out fruit yields

*Buntings'*

# Nationally Known

## Buntings' Healthy, Well-Grown, Vigorous Trees are Worth More

Quality in peach trees is not a mere matter of the size of the trees at the time of purchase. It includes the horticultural skill, knowledge, care and personal integrity actually employed from the securing of the peach seed to the delivery of the stock.

## Tried and Tested in Our Own Orchards

Considering our long experience in peach tree production, the knowledge we have obtained in watching the trees in our bearing commercial orchards here in Sussex County, it is our belief that you cannot buy better peach trees anywhere in the country regardless of price.

**CARMAN.** A very hardy, semi-freestone peach, ripening about the middle of July; skin pale yellow with blush on sunny side; flesh white, tender, sweet and melting. Ships well. Best early market peach.

**CRAWFORD'S EARLY.** Freestone. Large, oblong, yellow with deep red cheek; flesh yellow, juicy and rich, excellent flavor. August 1st to 15th.

**CRAWFORD'S LATE.** Ripens after Elberta. Freestone. High quality and very large size; flesh deep yellow; skin yellow with a broad dark red cheek.

**EARLY ELBERTA.** Very similar in both foliage and fruit to the old reliable Elberta. Ripens a week before that well-known variety.

**GAGE ELBERTA.** Ripens two to three days later than Elberta, and fruit is so very similar that only an expert can distinguish the difference. A disease-resistant bud sport of the famous Elberta.

**GOLDENEAST.** Early midseason, ripening about 15 days before Elberta. A large, firm, highly colored, yellow fleshed freestone, rapidly gaining popularity with commercial planters.

**GREENSBORO.** Semi-cling. Ripens from June 25th to July 10th. Large, white with a red cheek. Flesh white, rich and juicy. Tree a strong grower.

## HALE-HAVEN

**A Premium Peach for Every Commercial Orchard. Ripe 2 Weeks Before Elberta**

Steadily gaining favor, because of its size, color, good shipping qualities and hardiness in bud.

This marvelous new peach, an introduction of the Michigan State Experiment Station, is a cross between the famous South Haven and J. H. Hale. It's an aristocrat of the first order.

Extremely high color before ripening; withstands cold temperatures; very hardy; heavy bearer. A perfect freestone, yellow fleshed.

One-Year-Old Peach Trees in Nursery Rows at Buntings'



# PEACH TREES

*Planted Extensively  
from Coast to Coast*

**J. H. HALE.** Freestone. One of the best sorts for market or garden. Fruit is very large, round, yellow, sweet and melting; quality excellent. Skin yellow, finely colored. Ripens just before the Elberta. A very good one.

**ROCHESTER.** Has the habits and characteristics of the Crawford, but fully two weeks earlier. Yellow; freestone; good size; very sweet, fine flavor. Requires only half the usual amount of sugar for canning. Ripens middle July.

**SHIPPERS LATE RED.** Follows Elberta in ripening. Skin yellow with attractive red coloring. Flesh yellow, juicy, sweet, pleasing flavor. Bears young; good late commercial variety. Freestone.

**VEDETTE.** Freestone. Ripens a few days before Valiant. Fruit is large, roundish oval, yellow flesh. Ripens three weeks before Elberta.

**VALIANT.** Freestone. Fruit large, yellow blushed with red, with firm, juicy flesh of very good quality. Ripens about two weeks ahead of Elberta.

**WHITE HEATH CLING.** Ripens September 10th to 15th. Fruit extra large, roundish; flesh white, exceedingly juicy.

## Ripening Order of Peaches

Use this list for selecting varieties to provide you with fruit throughout the season. Varieties are listed in their order of ripening, from the very earliest to the latest.

Greensboro  
Carman  
Redhaven  
Golden Jubilee  
Rochester  
Vedette  
Valiant  
Goldeneast  
Hale-Haven  
Crawford's Early

Early Elberta  
Belle of Georgia  
J. H. Hale  
Elberta  
Gage Elberta  
O'Boy  
Crawford's Late  
Shippers Late Red  
White Heath Cling

## A National Shortage of Fruit Trees

Growing fruit trees is a highly skilled profession. Only experienced men can do the budding, grafting and perform the other necessary operations in connection with the growing of fruit trees.

Due to the shortage of manpower, most growers have had to cut their production. According to all available reports, **there is now existing an acute shortage** of all types of fruit trees.

We hope our supply will be sufficient to take care of our customers' requirements, but considering the national shortage—it is our suggestion that you **play safe by ordering as early as possible.**

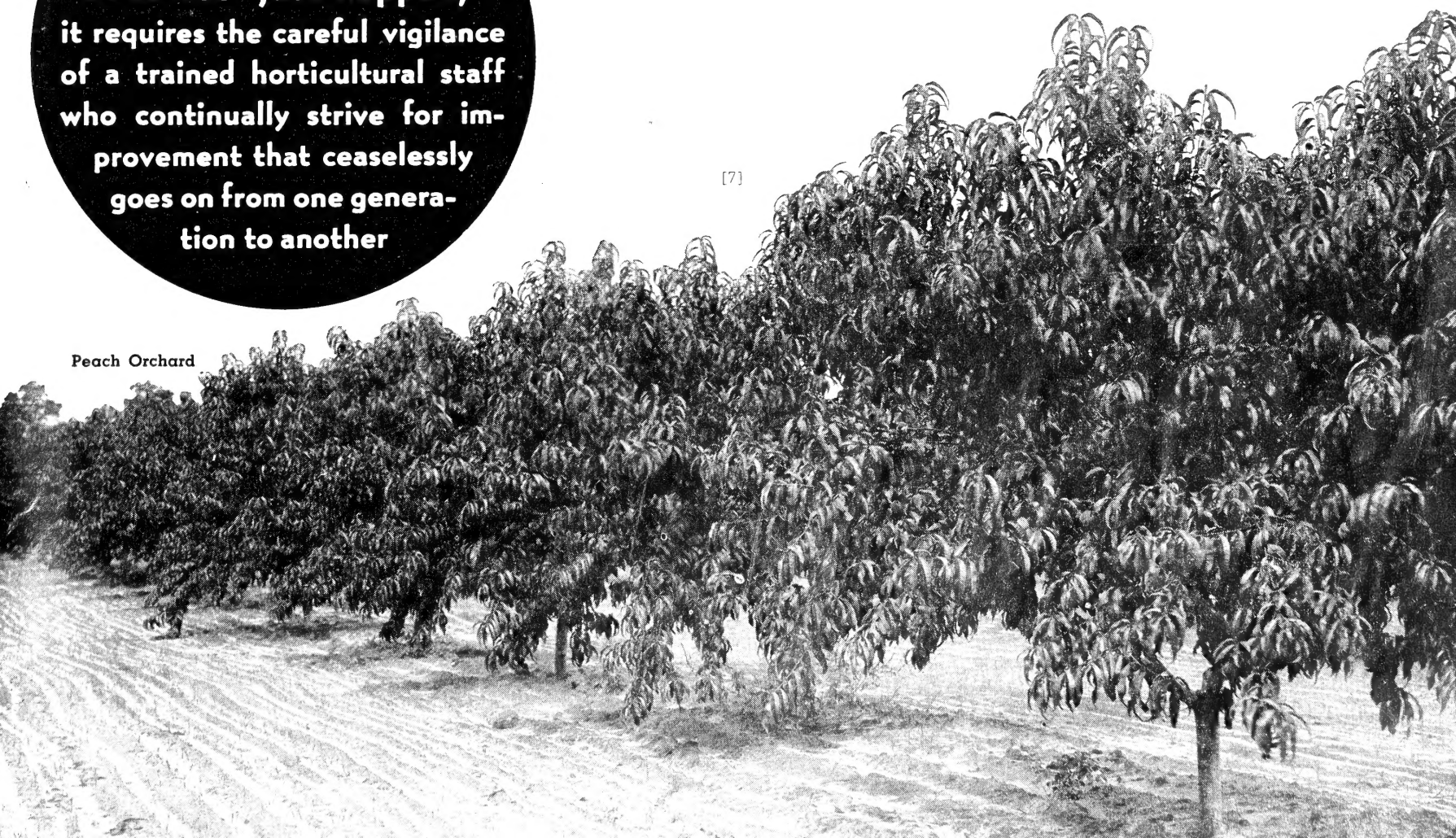
### PRICES OF ALL VARIETIES OF PEACH TREES (per tree)

	1 to 9 trees	10 to 49 trees	50 or more trees
5 to 6 ft. ....	\$1.75	\$1.40	\$1.20
4 to 5 ft. ....	1.50	1.20	1.00
3 to 4 ft. ....	1.25	1.05	.80
2 to 3 ft. ....	1.10	.90	.70

*Growing  
Quality Fruit Trees*

does not "just happen,"  
it requires the careful vigilance  
of a trained horticultural staff  
who continually strive for improvement that ceaselessly  
goes on from one generation  
to another

Peach Orchard





The New Improved Shropshire Damson

# Long-Lived Plum Trees Once planted . . . will live for years

**ABUNDANCE.** (Asiatic.) Fruit very large and showy; flesh light yellow, exceedingly juicy, tender and sweet. A good market variety. Ripens the first of August.

**FELLENBERG.** (Italian Prune.) Flesh juicy and delicious. Dark purple with a dark blue bloom, medium size. Sept.

**BURBANK.** (Asiatic.) Fruit very large, dark violet-red; flesh juicy and pleasant. Ripens middle of August. Productive.

**STANLEY PRUNE.** Fruit large, dark blue; flesh greenish yellow, juicy, firm and sweet. Midseason.

**IMPROVED SHROPSHIRE DAMSON.** Medium size fruit, produced in thick clusters or groups. Tree a strong grower and very productive of dark purple colored Plums. October.

## PRICES OF PLUM TREES: (per tree)

	1 to 9 trees	10 or more trees
5 to 6 ft. ....	\$2.15	\$1.85
4 to 5 ft. ....	1.90	1.65
3 to 4 ft. ....	1.65	1.45

## Select Pear Trees-All Bunting Grown

### Bartlett

**Unexcelled for Canning, Pickling and Eating—It is the All-Around Favorite Pear**

Bartlett, the standard on all markets. Large, rich golden yellow with red blush; juicy, melting, with rich indescribable flavor that has made it the most popular flavored Pear. An old favorite. August.

### Clapp's Favorite

Summer. Fruit large, lemon color, spotted with brown dots; flesh fine, rich and sweet. A very good one. Early August.

### Seckel For Pickling

Medium size, skin rich yellowish brown with deep brownish red cheek when fully ripe; flesh very fine grained, sweet, exceedingly juicy, melting, buttery. One of the richest and highest flavored Pears known. September.

### Kieffer

**Rich Golden Yellow. Widely Planted**

Prolific. Abundant and regular bearer. Good shipper. Fruit large, color yellow with red cheek. Will produce ten bushels of Pears to the tree when ten years old; begins fruiting successfully when three years old. October.

## PRICES OF PEAR TREES: (per tree)

	1 to 9 trees	10 or more trees
4 to 6 ft. ....	\$1.90	\$1.65
3 to 4 ft. ....	1.65	1.45





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Two-Year-Old Apple Trees Growing in Our Nurseries

# APPLE TREES

Buntings' trees are grown to make sure they can be transplanted successfully without setback to their growing and bearing power. By our method of spacing in the nursery, heavy fibrous roots are formed, the wood is hardened and the fruit spurs started. This means you get a true-to-name, trained and developed tree to take hold quickly in any location, a tree that is far superior in vigor and fruitfulness.

APPLE TREE PRICES, (per tree):	1 to 9 trees	10 to 49 trees	50 or more trees
2-year, 5 to 6 ft. ....	\$1.75	\$1.40	\$1.20
2-year, 4 to 5 ft. ....	1.50	1.20	1.00
2-year, 3 to 4 ft. ....	1.25	1.05	.80

## STANDARD APPLE VARIETIES

**BALDWIN.** Large, roundish, skin deep red; flesh juicy, crisp, sub-acid, good flavor. Splendid keeper.

**SOLID-RED DELICIOUS.** The leader of all red apples. Our own selected sport of this famous variety. An excellent apple for either home use or market. Same characteristics as its parent, except for its double red color three weeks earlier.

**DOUBLE-RED GRAVENSTEIN.** Flesh yellowish, acid, aromatic. Much better color than the original Gravenstein.

**GRIMES GOLDEN.** Very large, skin golden yellow, flesh tender and crisp. A very good fall apple. Grown in all sections of the country.

**DOUBLE-RED JONATHAN.** Insure your profits from Jonathan by planting this new red sport that will give you bright red-colored fruit about two weeks earlier. Fruit medium to large, brilliant red, juicy, fine grain, tender and very highly flavored. Bears young; produces heavy crops every year.

**LODI.** Originated by the New York Experimental Station. After being tested commercially over quite a large area, it is now rapidly gaining popularity. A summer apple ripening about the same time as Transparent; however, much larger and more firm than Transparent. Fruit good size, skin clear, white to pale yellow in color. Flavor very good. An excellent cooking apple.

## It Will Pay You Better

To Buy Buntings' Fruit Trees. There is no economy in planting very young trees just because they are cheap. You cannot afford several years waiting to see what will happen. Make sure of results by setting Buntings' Selected Trees.

Address your orders to Buntings' Nurseries, Inc., Selbyville, Delaware, rather than to individuals connected with the firm.



Buntings' Improved Yellow Delicious

## Double Red Stayman Winesap

Carries at least double the color of the original strain of Stayman Winesap; otherwise exactly the same in growth, hardiness, etc. We have discontinued propagating in our nurseries, also growing in our orchards, the regular variety of Stayman Winesap, in view of the fact that we get the same quality in Double-Red Stayman with double the color which sells the fruit for more money.

### APPLE TREE PRICES: (per tree)

	1 to 9 trees	10 to 49 trees	50 or more trees
2-year, 5 to 6 ft. ....	\$1.75	\$1.40	\$1.20
2-year, 4 to 5 ft. ....	1.50	1.20	1.00
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## Yellow Delicious

This alluring Apple with the strong appetite appeal never fails to capture the elusive nickel on the fruit stands.

It is a national favorite, commanding highest prices on the market.



Buntings' Double-Red Stayman



## Quintuplet Apple

### FIVE Leading Varieties on ONE TREE The Famous "5-N-1"

Here's the opportunity for those with limited space to have five mighty desirable varieties of Apples, all budded on one tree for a little more than the cost of one tree. Requires only a 25-foot space when fully grown. Each tree is budded to Yellow Transparent for first early, Anoka for second early, Red Jonathan, Red Delicious and Yellow Delicious for fall and winter.

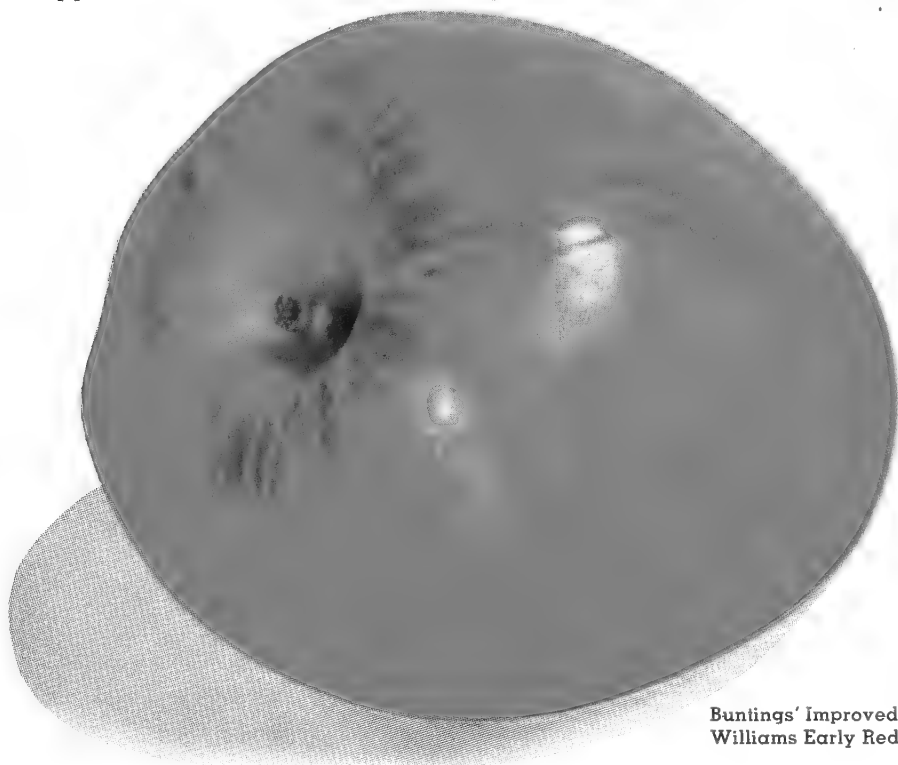
Price: No. 1, 2-year-old trees, \$3.00 each.

Leading orchardists are more enthusiastic than ever over Buntings' "Double-Red Apples." They are the varieties that sell at good prices on all markets.

# in APPLES

## Williams Early Red

Among the earliest to ripen and the largest of all early Apples. Flesh is white and slightly tart.



Buntings' Improved  
Williams Early Red

## Solid-Red McIntosh

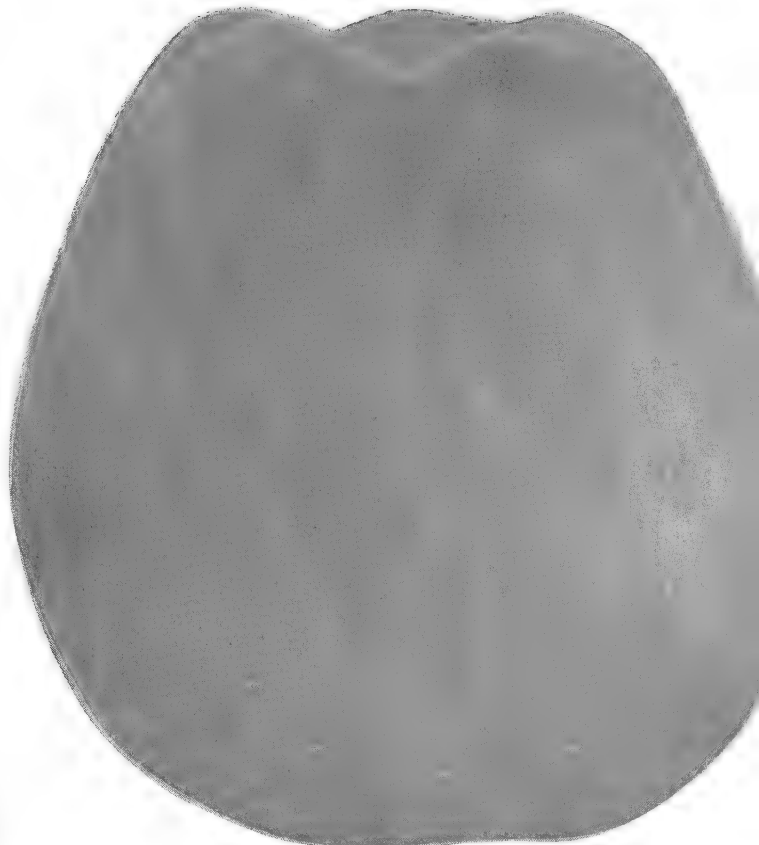
A selected bright red sport of the reliable old McIntosh. Flesh white, tender, juicy, sub-acid. Tree hardy, vigorous and healthy.



Winter Banana

## Winter Banana

Large, handsome, distinct banana flavor and aroma. A good winter variety for home use. Some commercial demand.



Shotwell All Red Delicious

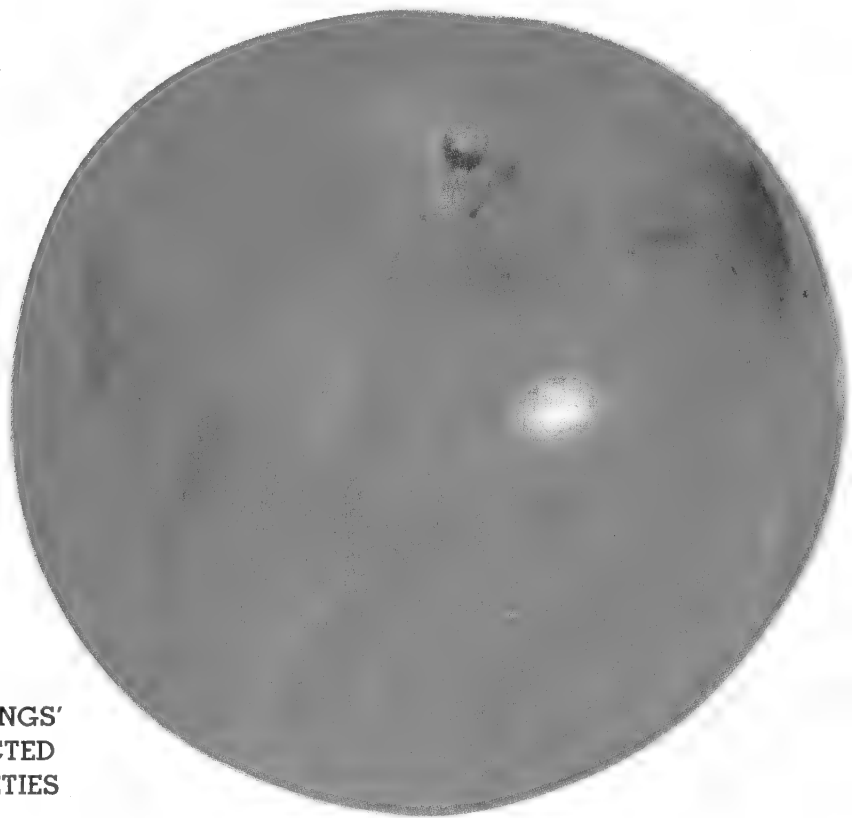


Double  
Crimson Red—  
Large Size

This improved new Red Delicious colors a very rich red three to four days in advance of any other strain of Delicious Apples.

Shotwell Delicious is not only a commercial Apple, but it is every bit as well adapted to home gardens.

A superior, large, uniform Apple, rich in flavor, with a characteristic five-knob appearance that makes it attractive in every market.



Buntings' Solid-Red McIntosh

BUNTINGS'  
SELECTED  
VARIETIES





## Heavily Rooted, Symmetrically Branched Strong, Two-Year Specimens Ready for Transplanting

**BLACKMACK**  
Trade Mark Reg.

Colors a Solid Deep Red ✓  
Two Weeks Earlier

This is a strain of McIntosh which colors two weeks in advance of the regular variety. A solid deep red which can be picked in prime condition, which improves shipping and eating qualities and eliminates loss from windfalls.

**RED NORTHERN SPY.** Flesh juicy, rich, crisp, aromatic, a good flavor. Our own selected sport of this popular Northern Apple.

**SOLID RED ROME.** A brilliant, solid red that produces over 50 per cent more extra fancy Apples for color grade than common Rome Beauty. A beautiful Apple, identical in quality, productiveness and other characteristics with the regular Rome Beauty, except for a greatly superior color.

**RHODE ISLAND GREENING.** Rich acid flavor, tender and juicy; yellow in color, sometimes having a red cheek. Very delicious.

**WINESAP.** Medium to large size. Red color, flesh yellow, firm, crisp; with rich flavor; good quality.

**YELLOW TRANSPARENT.** Fruit medium to large, with a brilliant waxy skin; flesh is tender, crisp, and juicy; color yellow. Ripens in July.

### APPLE TREE PRICES:

(per tree)

	1 to 9 trees	10 to 49 trees	50 or more trees
2-year, 5-6 ft. . .	\$1.75	\$1.40	\$1.20
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## Crab Apples

**RED SIBERIAN.** Large, round, brilliant red on a pale yellow background. Flesh acid and greatly esteemed for preserves and jellies.

**TRANSCENDENT.** Fruit large, round; skin smooth, rich yellow shaded with red. Flesh yellow, crisp and juicy.

**WHITNEY.** Fruit red striped, large, uniform in size. Skin smooth, glossy, yellow striped and splashed with carmine. Flesh firm and juicy.

**HYSLOP.** Large, handsome, crimson, splashed with dark red. Very prolific.

Note the photographs below which show Buntings' especially designed tree-digging equipment. It is amply powered so that whether the soil is wet or dry it moves along smoothly and efficiently, lifting the trees with practically all of the roots. It is never necessary to lift the blade close to the surface of the ground and cut the roots short because the soil is dry and hard; nor is it necessary to cut the trees with short roots because of lack of traction in wet weather. Buntings' trees are actually lifted from the ground without damage to their roots, and with their root systems intact.

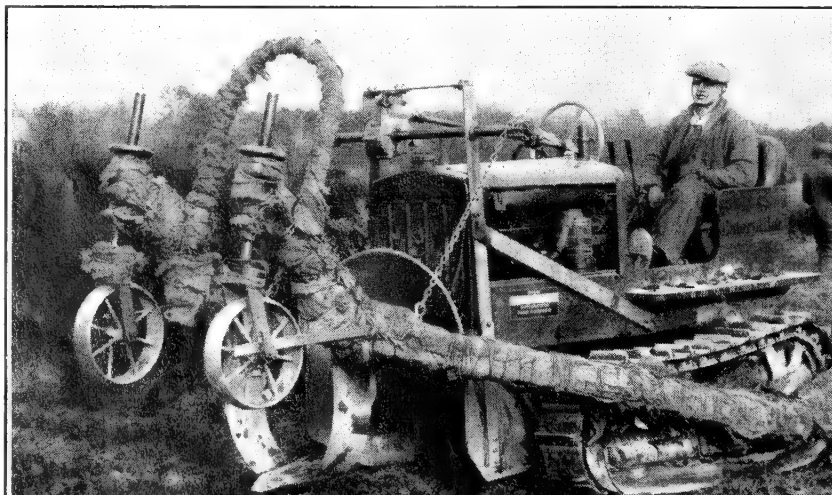
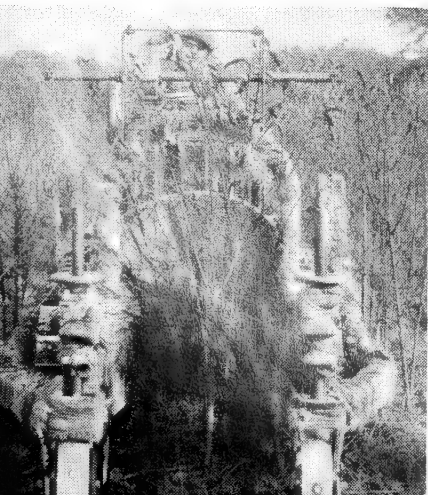
**Orchardists** HERE'S THE APPLE  
THAT WILL MAKE HISTORY

**RED YORKING**  
TRADE MARK REG.

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A sport from its famous daddy, York Imperial. It has the same fine and dependable qualities except that its skin is thicker, does not scald in storage, and it ripens to a solid cherry-red color.

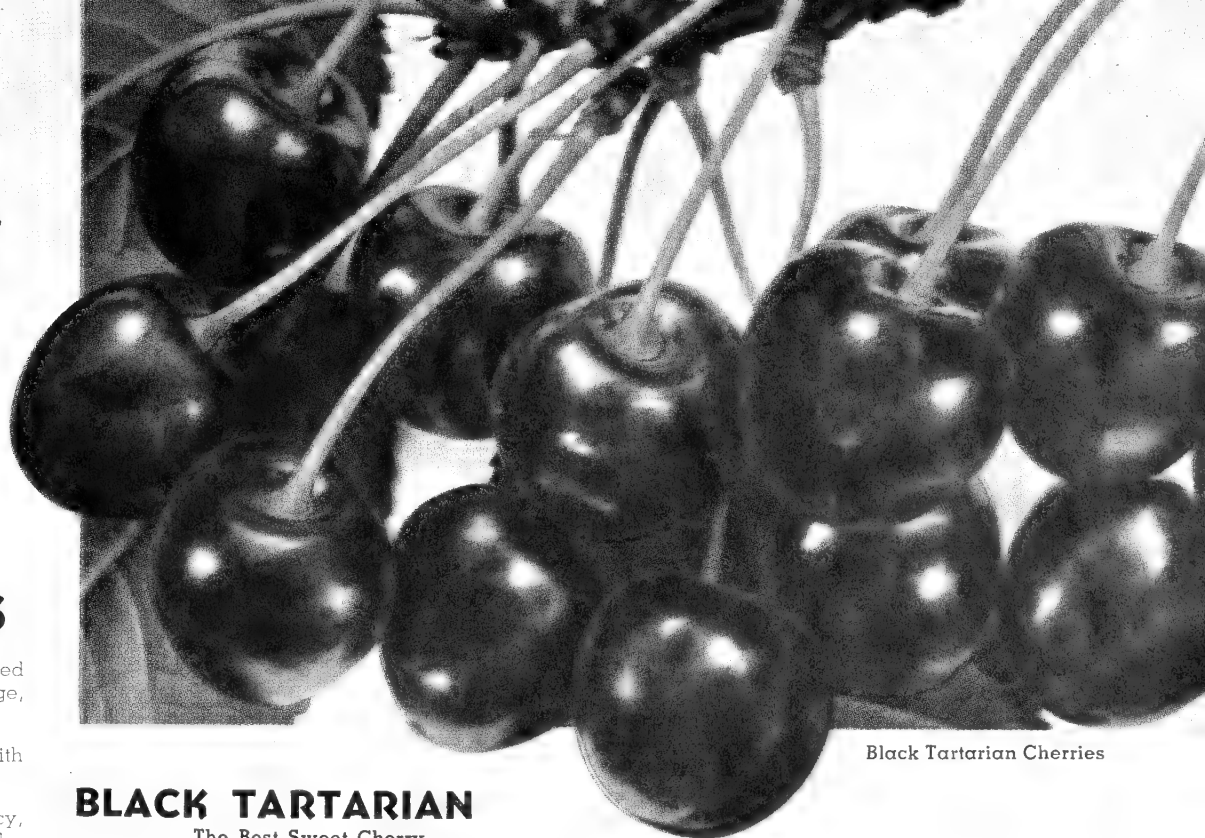
Shows color 5 weeks earlier. An excellent shipping Apple. Plant these early ripening Red Yorkings and get into the market with a sure profit-making new variety that finds a ready sale.



# CHERRIES

## Sweets-Sours

### A Bunting Specialty



Black Tartarian Cherries

## SWEET CHERRIES

**GOVERNOR WOOD.** Light yellow with red cheek; tender, rich, delicious; very fine, large, roundish. June.

**NAPOLEON.** Light lemon-yellow, tinged with red. Late June.

**SCHMIDT'S BIGARREAU.** Flesh tender, juicy, good flavor. Mahogany color. Middle of July.

**YELLOW SPANISH.** Ripens early in June. Fruit large, color yellow. Tree vigorous grower.

## BLACK TARTARIAN

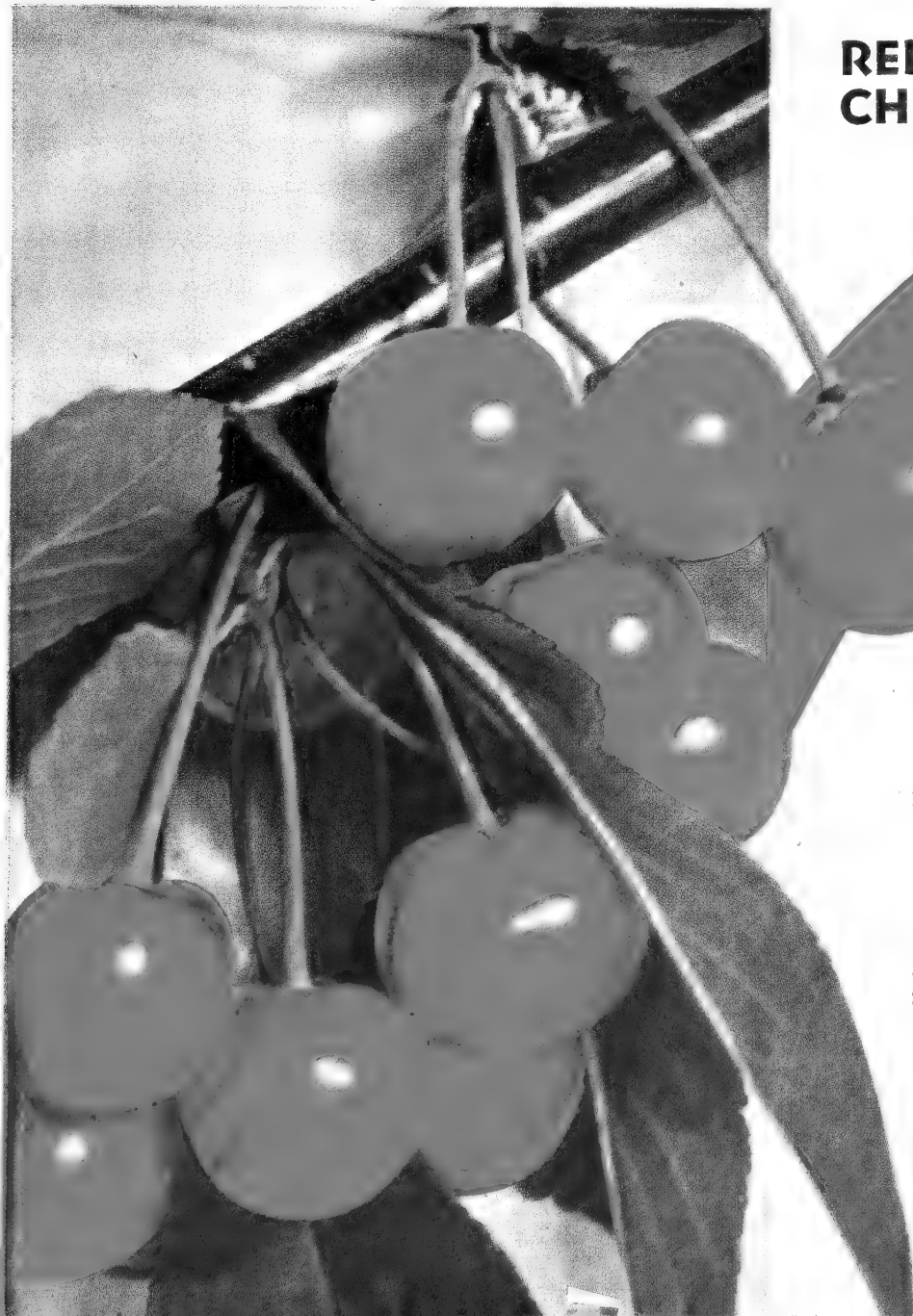
The Best Sweet Cherry

Here is the best, most dependable and widely successful of the sweet Cherries. Its great heart-shaped fruits (rich, dark purple hue) look irresistibly tempting. The sweet, mild flavor and rich tang have won it a nation-wide popularity both with commercial and home growers.

**A Prime Market Favorite**

For the big market trade hundreds of miles from orchards, the local fruit markets or fruit stands scattered all over the country, they offer a dependable yearly yield that is sure to bring profit to the grower.

Montmorency Cherries



## RED PIE CHERRIES

# Great MONTMORENCY

## The Universal Canning and Pie Cherry

These select record-breaking Montmorency trees develop into uniform shapely specimens bearing heavy crops of very large fruit.

Fruit large, firm, ships perfectly. Bears very young, produces tremendous money-making crops and is successful everywhere.

**Fruit Growers Consider This The Finest Sour Cherry In Cultivation**

Because of its distinctive acid flavor, delightful in pies and preserves.

**ENGLISH MORELLO.** Tree small, round-headed, with distinctly drooping branches. Fruit three-fourths of an inch in diameter, color dark red. Flavor tart, good quality; excellent for preserving and pies. Freestone. Ripens in July.

**EARLY RICHMOND.** A leading sour Cherry, used extensively by canners, excellent for pies and preserves. Tree medium size, dense, upright-spreading. Fruit three-fourths inch in diameter, color light red, fruit thin-skinned, freestone. Ripens in June.

PRICES OF PIE CHERRIES:		
	(per tree)	
	1 to 9 trees	10 or more trees
4 to 6 ft. ....	\$2.00	\$1.70
3 to 4 ft. ....	1.75	1.50

PRICES OF SWEET CHERRIES:		
	(per tree)	
	1 to 9 trees	10 or more trees
5 to 6 ft. ....	\$2.60	\$2.30
4 to 5 ft. ....	2.30	2.00
3 to 4 ft. ....	2.00	1.65
2 to 3 ft. ....	1.50	1.25

# Strawberries

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## Growing Strawberries Profitably

By BUNTINGS' NURSERIES, Inc., SELBYVILLE, DELAWARE

### Planting Time

Northern States—April and early May.

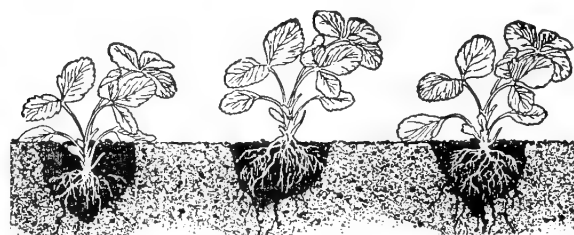
Central States—March and April.

Southern States—February and March.

Each year we are surprised that so many people think you can postpone setting Strawberry plants during spring months, expecting to make up lost time by setting them in summer or early fall; it cannot be done successfully. Early spring is the ideal time to set Strawberry plants, as soon as the weather permits preparing the ground. In the southern states, we recommend February and March; in the central states, March and April; in the northern states, April, or as early in May as possible. Place your order early so as to allow ample time for material to reach you at the time you wish to plant. You realize it requires time for your order to reach the nursery after it has been placed in the mails, and while we are thoroughly organized to handle all business promptly, we have adverse weather conditions, etc., which hold up digging and packing of plants. Under ordinary conditions, however, plants are shipped in two or three days after your order is received.

### Type of Soil

For best results, select a plot springy in nature but well drained and free of vegetation. Strawberry plants are not like trees. They are small and do not root deeply in the soil. Moisture is essential. Should you have a plot of land which you contemplate setting to Strawberries, keep the crop as free from vegetation as possible during the previous year. If the land has been lying idle, plow late in the summer before the weeds and grass develop seed to maturity. This will eliminate crop of weeds and grass the next season. Heavy crops of Cow Peas, Soy Beans, or any other, if plowed under in late summer while green, increase the humus and fertility of the soil, making it loose and porous; therefore, the more retentive of moisture.



Too Deep

Too Shallow

Correct Depth

### Soil Preparation and Fertilization

Prepare soil same as for truck or garden crops. Lay out rows, usually 3 feet 6 inches to 4 feet apart; set plants about 15 to 18 inches apart in the rows. Do not use commercial fertilizer at the roots. Ground animal bone, thoroughly mixed with the soil, is fine to use at the roots. It should be placed in bottom of furrow before row is made up. Spreading good barnyard manure on the land before plowing is preferable to ground animal bone. If soil is fertile, we do not recommend using any type of fertilizer when planting.

During January, February or very early March (January or February preferred), apply a good grade of commercial fertilizer carrying an analysis of 5 per cent ammonia, 6 to 8 per cent phosphoric acid and 10 per cent potash, broadcast on the row of plants at the rate of 15 to 20 pounds per hundred yards of row space. This is all the plant food necessary to reap a bumper crop of good quality fruit.

### Setting Plants

Clip the roots if they can't be planted without doubling. Some varieties naturally grow larger than others, and require slight clipping before being transplanted. The plant should be set with the crown about even with the soil after it has been thoroughly firmed around the plant.

### Cultivation

#### Keep Rows Free of Vegetation

As soon as the plants are set in the spring, cultivation should begin and should be continued whenever weeds start or a crust forms. Frequent shallow cultivation will make it unnecessary to do much hand hoeing or hand weeding. The cultivator, which merely loosens the top soil without breaking the roots, is to be preferred. Any weeds which interfere with the development of plants or fruit during the picking season are pulled by hand or cut off with sharp hoes. Tests have shown that Strawberry fields which receive frequent hoeing and cultivation made larger, stronger fruiting beds and produced a better crop of berries.

### Mulching

After the first freeze during fall months, wheat or rye straw, or marsh grass, may be applied over the rows of plants for winter protection. Early in the spring, before growth starts, it should be removed from the plants and placed between the rows. By this time it has served its first purpose, protection of the plants during the cold winter weather. When placed between the rows, it retains moisture, and prevents particles of sand or earth from spattering the berries, insuring the berries being clean when placed on the market.

## STRAWBERRY PRICE LIST

	25	50	100	200	250	300	400	500	750	1000
<b>EARLY VARIETIES:</b>										
Blakemore .....	\$1.05	\$1.75	\$2.80	\$4.90	\$5.60	\$6.30	\$7.50	\$ 8.75	\$11.55	\$14.00
Dorsett .....	1.35	2.25	3.60	6.30	7.20	8.10	9.70	11.25	14.85	18.00
Fairfax .....	1.35	2.25	3.60	6.30	7.20	8.10	9.70	11.25	14.85	18.00
Maytime .....	1.50	2.50	4.00							
Midland .....	1.50	2.50	4.00	7.00	8.00	9.00	10.80	12.50	16.50	20.00
Missionary .....	1.05	1.75	2.80	4.90	5.60	6.30	7.50	8.75	11.55	14.00
Premier .....	1.35	2.25	3.60	6.30	7.20	8.10	9.70	11.25	14.85	18.00
Temple .....	1.85	3.10	5.00							
<b>MIDSEASON:</b>										
Big Joe .....	1.35	2.25	3.60	6.30	7.20	8.10	9.70	11.25	14.85	18.00
Catskill .....	1.50	2.50	4.00							
Senator Dunlap .....	1.20	2.00	3.20	5.60	6.40	7.20	8.65	10.00	13.20	16.00
Starbright .....	1.50	2.50	4.00	7.00	8.00	9.00	10.80	12.50	16.50	20.00
Majestic .....	1.50	2.50	4.00							
<b>LATE:</b>										
Ambrosia Late .....	1.50	2.50	4.00	7.00	8.00	9.00	10.80	12.50	16.50	20.00
Fairpeake .....	1.85	3.10	5.00							
Lupton Late .....	1.50	2.50	4.00	7.00	8.00	9.00	10.80	12.50		
Red Star .....	1.50	2.50	4.00	7.00	8.00	9.00	10.80	12.50		
Massey .....	1.50	2.50	4.00							
Chesapeake .....	1.50	2.50	4.00							
<b>EVERBEARING:</b>										
Gem .....	2.60	4.35	7.00							
Mastodon .....	2.60	4.35	7.00							
Gemzata .....	3.00	5.00	8.00							





## The Best of the Crop

### For 1945 Plantings

# CATSKILL

**An Outstanding Midseason Variety,  
Becoming More Popular Every Year**

Originated in 1934, from a cross between Premier and Marshall. Produces large, strong plants; makes an ideal fruiting bed. The berries are large in size, bright red color. Equals Premier in flavor and carries a bright green cap. Firm enough to arrive on the market in excellent condition. It is considered almost frost-proof, and can be depended upon to produce annually bumper crops of fruit. **Price: \$1.50 per 25; \$2.50 per 50; \$4.00 per 100.**

## BLAKEMORE

*The Ideal Early Shipping Berry*

We offer a special strain of Blakemore, free from yellows. A healthy plant that yields big crops of berries. Will stand two or three days without over-ripening. Foliage is healthy and stands up well during drought. Fruit is firm, of good color and unexcelled as a long-distance shipping berry. Ranks high in productiveness. To get all that you are entitled to from Blakemore, do not allow them to mat too thickly in the rows during the growing season. **Price: \$1.05 per 25; \$1.75 per 50; \$2.80 per 100; \$5.60 per 250; \$8.75 per 500; \$14.00 per 1000.**



Blakemore

## FAIRPEAKE

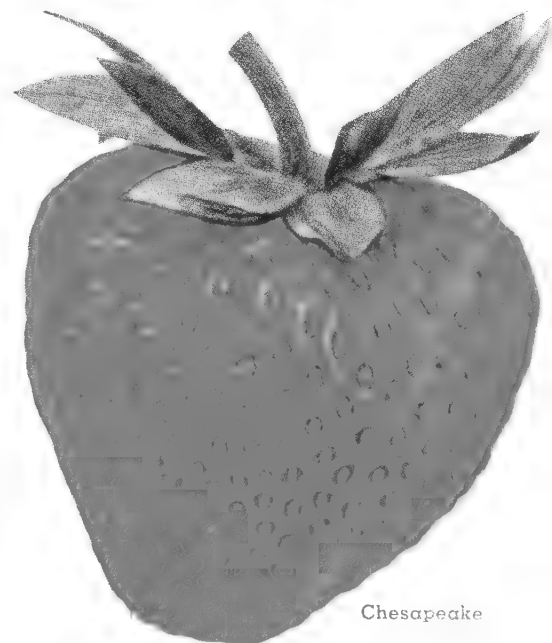
A cross between Chesapeake and Fairfax, the same parentage as Starbright. More productive, and ripens a few days later than Starbright. The flesh is firm, juicy, and red to the center. Quality of berries very high, fully as good as Dorsett or Fairfax at their best. **Price: \$1.85 per 25; \$3.10 per 50; \$5.00 per 100.**

## CHESAPEAKE

Late. A market berry that withstands long hauls, maintaining its color and firmness. The berries are large and hold their size well to the end of the season. Chesapeake does best in fertile, moist land. **Price: \$1.50 per 25; \$2.50 per 50; \$4.00 per 100.**



Fairpeake



Chesapeake

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## AMBROSIA LATE

Considered by many to be the largest, latest and best late Strawberry introduced. The berries are very large, semi-pointed, rich, sparkling bright red, of delicious flavor. Ripens three weeks later than Premier, when other Strawberries are gone. It is self-pollenizing and extremely hardy. Fruit stems are very rigid and often attain a height of six inches. Berries develop in the shade of the leaves and off the ground, which assures clean fruit. **Price: \$1.50 per 25; \$2.50 per 50; \$4.00 per 100; \$8.00 per 250; \$12.50 per 500; \$20.00 per 1000.**

## DORSETT

Early. Its bright red color and rich, delicious flavor always bring top market prices. Ripening early, with Premier and Blakemore, this variety rapidly came to the top in favor, and is well known and widely planted in all Strawberry sections of the United States. In this latitude it does exceptionally well. **Price: \$1.35 per 25; \$2.25 per 50; \$3.60 per 100; \$7.20 per 250; \$11.25 per 500; \$18.00 per 1000.**

## FAIRFAX

Early. The quality berry. A favorite in quality, flavor and productiveness. Originated and introduced with Dorsett, now widely known and planted. The berries are exceptionally large all through the fruiting season, and very firm. Plant Fairfax for its superb flavor, large size and universal demand. **Price: \$1.35 per 25; \$2.25 per 50; \$3.60 per 100; \$7.20 per 250; \$11.25 per 500; \$18.00 per 1000.**

## GEMZATA

The new everbearing variety for the East. A cross between Gem and Wayzata, retaining the most desirable characteristics of each parent. Makes a good fruiting bed, and bears a good crop of berries in the fall when everyone is "Strawberry hungry." **Price: \$3.00 per 25; \$5.00 per 50; \$8.00 per 100.**

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## **GEM** Everbearing

This variety is one of the greatest everbearers, and should be planted as a companion with Mastodon. Berries are long, and we find them to be as productive but not quite so large as Mastodon. They ripen evenly and are light red all the way through. **Price: \$2.60 per 25; \$4.35 per 50; \$7.00 per 100.**

## **LUPTON LATE**

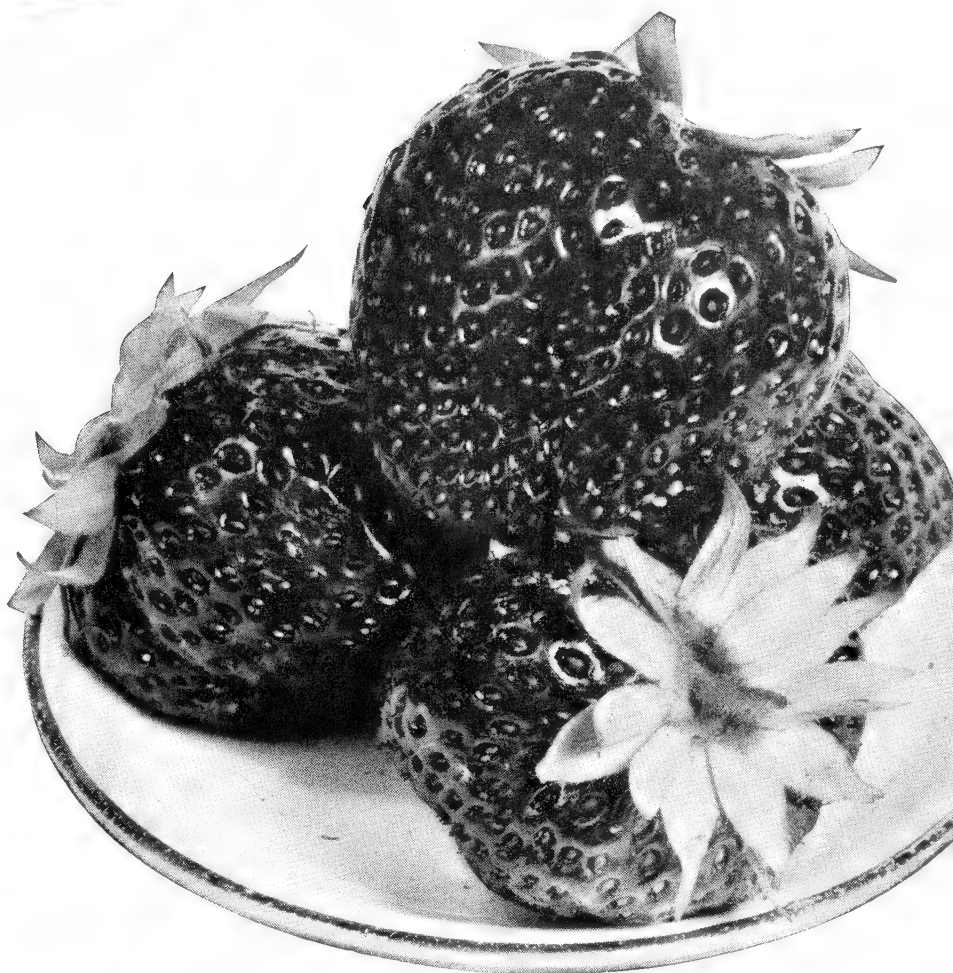
Berries large, bluntly conical, with double dark green cap. An excellent shipper. **Price: \$1.50 per 25; \$2.50 per 50; \$4.00 per 100; \$8.00 per 250; \$12.50 per 500.**

## **MAJESTIC** Midseason

(Plant Patent No. 345.) Berries are large and bright, of firm texture, holding their size until the end of the season. Starts ripening a few days later than Premier. Said to produce more berries per plant than any other variety known today, and is becoming very popular. **Price: \$1.50 per 25; \$2.50 per 50; \$4.00 per 100.**

## **MAYTIME** Early

A new extra early variety, released by the U. S. Department of Agriculture two years ago. A vigorous grower, making a good fruiting bed. Berries are of good size, firm, very good quality and flavor, bright red throughout. **Price: \$1.50 per 25; \$2.50 per 50; \$4.00 per 100.**



## **STRAWBERRY PLANT SHORTAGE**

While Strawberries are grown commercially in almost every state of the Union, the mother or stock plants are grown only in certain sections, where conditions seem to be ideal for their culture.

With the conditions existing in early spring of 1944 (manpower shortage, etc.), most Strawberry plant growers sharply reduced their acreage. The prolonged drought and hot weather during the summer of 1944 caused many growers in some sections to have almost a complete crop failure. Our supply is not nearly so large as normal and with the acute shortage existing, we respectfully recommend that our customers place their orders early. As this catalog is being printed, it appears that due to the national shortage of plants, we will be sold out of some of the most popular varieties before the shipping season is over.





## SENATOR DUNLAP

Fruit is of good size and a beautiful bright red color, glossy and very firm. It is a splendid shipper and of excellent quality. It stands up well in dry weather and makes a good fruit bed under adverse weather conditions. **Price: \$1.20 per 25; \$2.00 per 50; \$3.20 per 100; \$6.40 per 250; \$10.00 per 500; \$16.00 per 1000.**



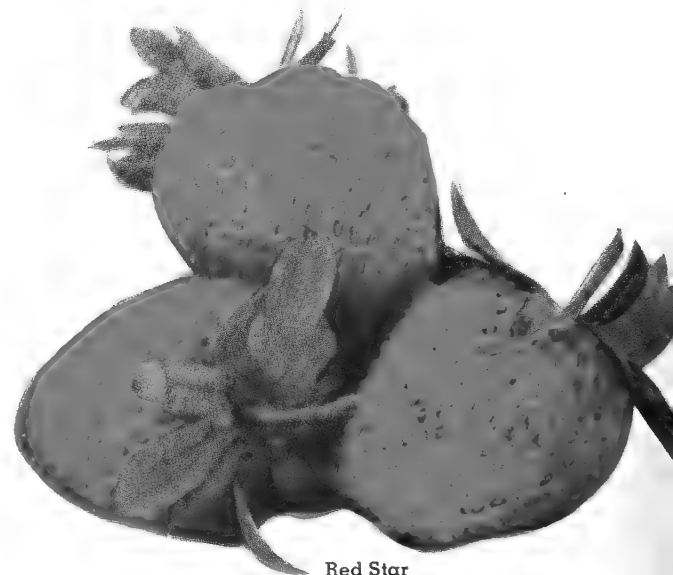
## MASTODON Everbearing

Any soil of high fertility will produce bumper crops of this outstanding everbearing variety. Mastodon is rightly named, because it exceeds them all in size and in number of berries per plant during the fruiting season, which extends from spring until late autumn. Delicious berries for home use. **Price: \$2.60 per 25; \$4.35 per 50; \$7.00 per 100.**

## PREMIER Early

This ever-popular berry has stood the test of 25 years. Fruit large and holds its size well throughout the ripening season. Foliage smooth, bright and clean. A good plant maker. One of the most extensively planted early varieties of Strawberries at this time. There are but very few varieties that have equalled Premier's production record. In flavor and quality it ranks with the best. Recommended for home use, local sales or commercial markets. **Price: \$1.35 per 25; \$2.25 per 50; \$3.60 per 100; \$7.20 per 250; \$11.25 per 500; \$18.00 per 1000.**

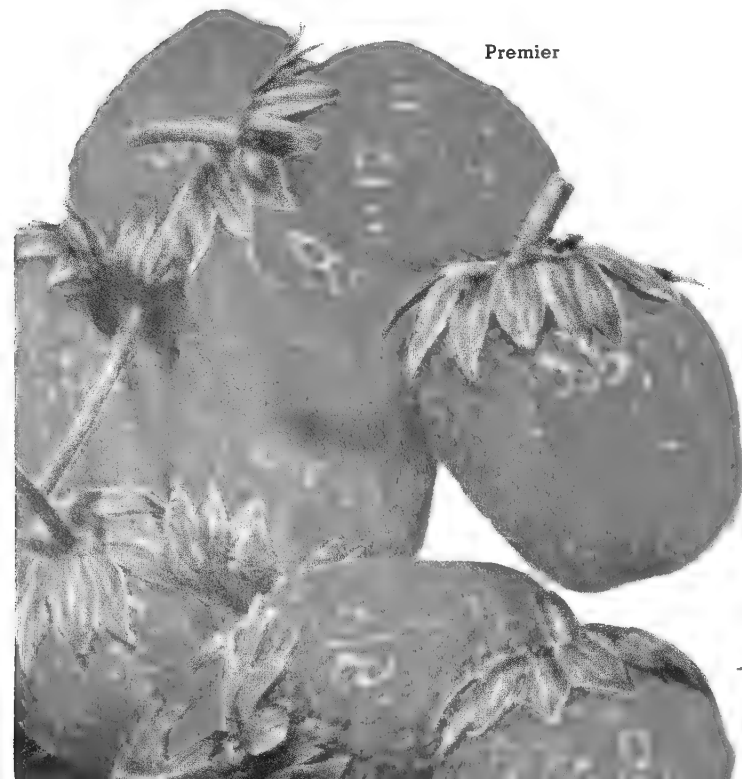
A new extremely late variety, originated by Dr. George Darrow of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Very large, firm, bright red berries, with good flavor. Vigorous grower, very productive. Red Star is recommended for all the northern states, and as far south as Virginia and west to Missouri. Red Star is really a great addition to the Strawberry variety list, filling a definite need for an extra late variety of very high quality. **Price: \$1.50 per 25; \$2.50 per 50; \$4.00 per 100.**



Red Star

## MIDLAND

Originated as a cross between Premier and Redheart. A new, early variety just released for introduction by the U. S. Department of Agriculture a year ago. Midland is a vigorous grower, making plenty of plants and large strong ones. Fruit clusters are large, and the berries very large. A good shipper; the flesh is rich red and juicy, excellent quality. We indorse it as a leader among the early Strawberries; unexcelled for home freezing units. **Price: \$1.50 per 25; \$2.50 per 50; \$4.00 per 100; \$8.00 per 250; \$12.50 per 500; \$20.00 per 1000.**



Premier



Midland



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## MASSEY

Late

Very firm, bright red berries with a nice green cap. Ripens somewhat later than Blakemore, and recommended for trial wherever Blakemore is successfully grown. **Price: \$1.50 per 25; \$2.50 per 50; \$4.00 per 100.**

## STARBRIGHT

Medium early. Far exceeding the well known Dorsett and Fairfax. Starbright is very similar in appearance to Fairfax—a little brighter red, and in quality it excels any variety that we have ever grown. This new creation of Dr. Darrow of the U. S. Department of Agriculture is a medium early variety with a long fruiting season. It continues to produce extra large berries, uniform in size, until at least half the crop of late varieties has been harvested. Strong grower, leathery, dark glossy green foliage; unexcelled shipping qualities. **Price: \$1.50 per 25; \$2.50 per 50; \$4.00 per 100; \$8.00 per 250; \$12.50 per 500; \$20.00 per 1000.**

## TEMPLE

An exceptionally vigorous variety, making a dense bed of unusually tall plants. Quite productive, and nearly as early as Blakemore. Berries are large, blunt conic, smooth, uniform and have large, attractive caps. Good quality fruit, and solid enough for shipping. Introduced because of its resistance to diseases. **Price: \$1.85 per 25; \$3.10 per 50; \$5.00 per 100.**

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Plants*

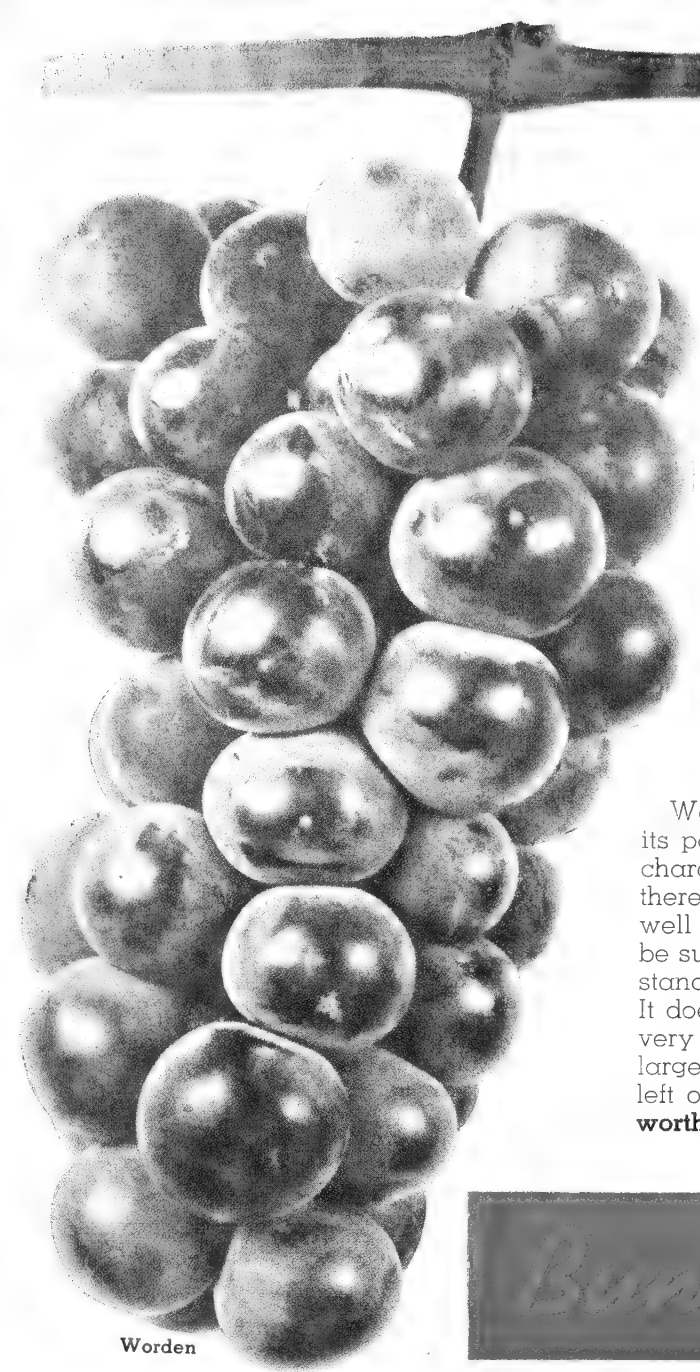
## BIG JOE

Midseason

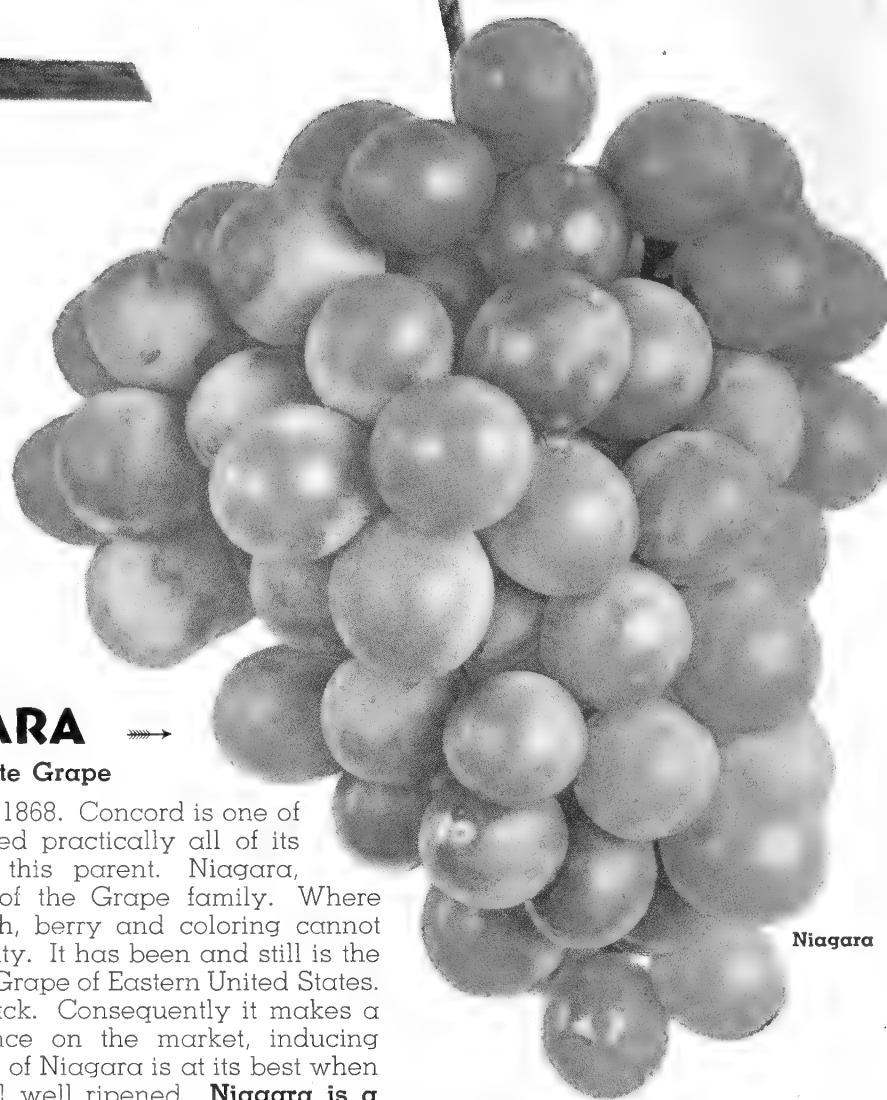
Ripens about three days before Gandy. Fruit is firm and of large size, good color and of a delicious flavor; no green tips, wonderfully productive; plants are strong growers and thrive on any soil that will produce Strawberries. **Price: \$1.35 per 25; \$2.25 per 50; \$3.60 per 100; \$7.20 per 250; \$11.25 per 500; \$18.00 per 1000.**

## MISSIONARY

Has been extensively planted for commercial purposes and still is in most sections of the country. Probably 95 per cent of the Strawberries grown in the state of Florida are of the variety Missionary. A strong grower and productive. The berries are well colored, firm, large, and hold their size well throughout the season. **Price: \$1.05 per 25; \$1.75 per 50; \$2.80 per 100; \$5.60 per 250; \$14.00 per 1000.**



Worden



Niagara

## NIAGARA

### A Quality White Grape

Was first fruited in 1868. Concord is one of its parents. It received practically all of its characteristics from this parent. Niagara, therefore, is Queen of the Grape family. Where well grown, its bunch, berry and coloring cannot be surpassed in beauty. It has been and still is the standard white table Grape of Eastern United States. It does not easily crack. Consequently it makes a very good appearance on the market, inducing larger sales. The fruit of Niagara is at its best when left on the vines until well ripened. **Niagara is a worthy Queen of King Concord.**



Grapes can be grown on many types of soil from light blow sand to heavy clay. They can be grown on hillsides, along boundary lines, or on arbors and

**Buntings' offer only strong one- and two-year-old plants, grown at Selbyville.**

**Plant Buntings' high quality vines** and be assured of success. apart. Shipped direct from our nurseries to you.

**AGAWAM.** Deep red or maroon. Ripens early. Fruit large and meaty, borne in extra large, loose-shouldered bunches. Vines strong growers, very healthy. Ripens with Concord. Has a delightful aromatic flavor.

**BRIGHTON.** One of the best red varieties; bunch variable in size, flesh tender and juicy, red; early.

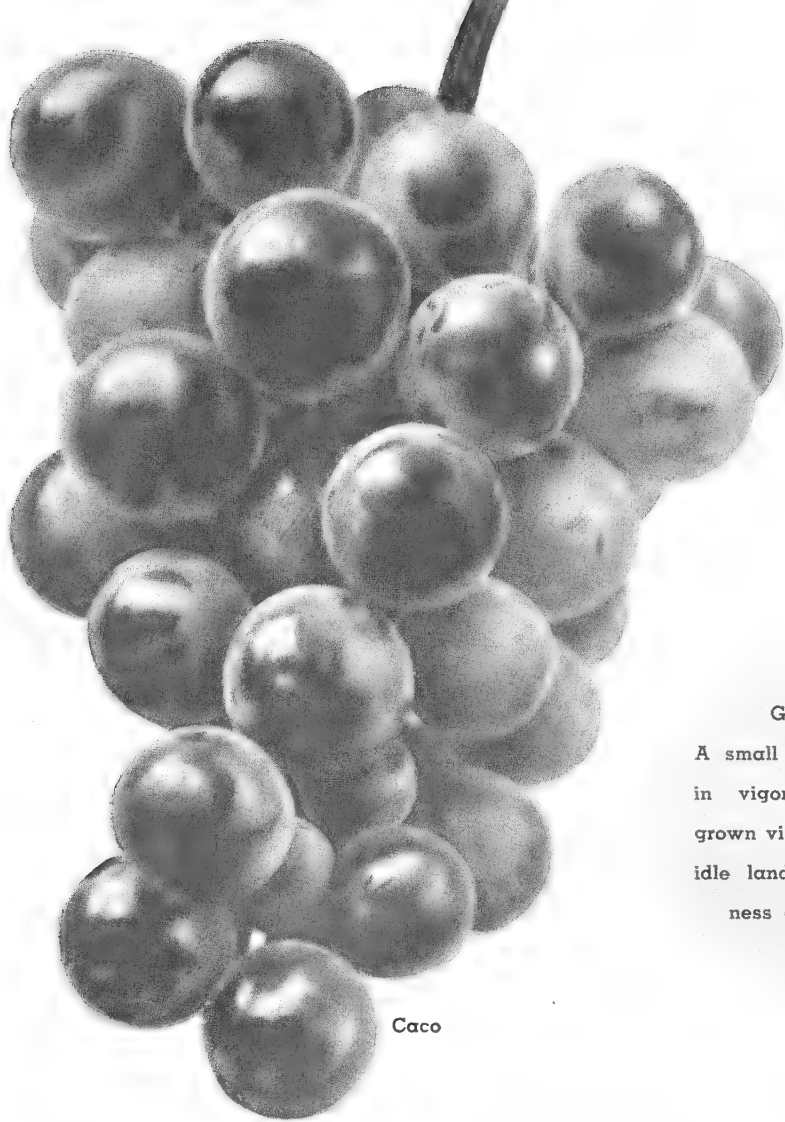
**CATAWBA.** Keeps better than any Grape in cultivation. Ripens late and can be kept in good condition a long time. Berries large, round, when fully ripe dark copper colored. Good market variety.

**DELAWARE.** Early. Vine moderately healthy and vigorous. Bunch small but compact; berries small to medium in size, red in color and of excellent flavor.

**FREDONIA.** Black, with heavy bloom, cluster about medium, berry large, very early, good quality; new and very promising.

**MOORE'S EARLY.** Ripens before Concord. Color of Grapes deep black. Large and of best quality. Bunches hold together firmly. One of the best shippers. A profitable variety for either home use or market. Makes excellent wine. Very productive. Like Concord and Worden produces abundantly in nursery row on two-year-old vines.





Caco

## CACO — *The Best Red*

This is a variety considered the best and hardiest amber-red ever produced, the bunches being very large and the berries comparable with the new Fredonia.

**In quality** Caco ranks among the best of the native Grapes, approaching in flavor European Muscat rather than the foxiness of native Grapes.

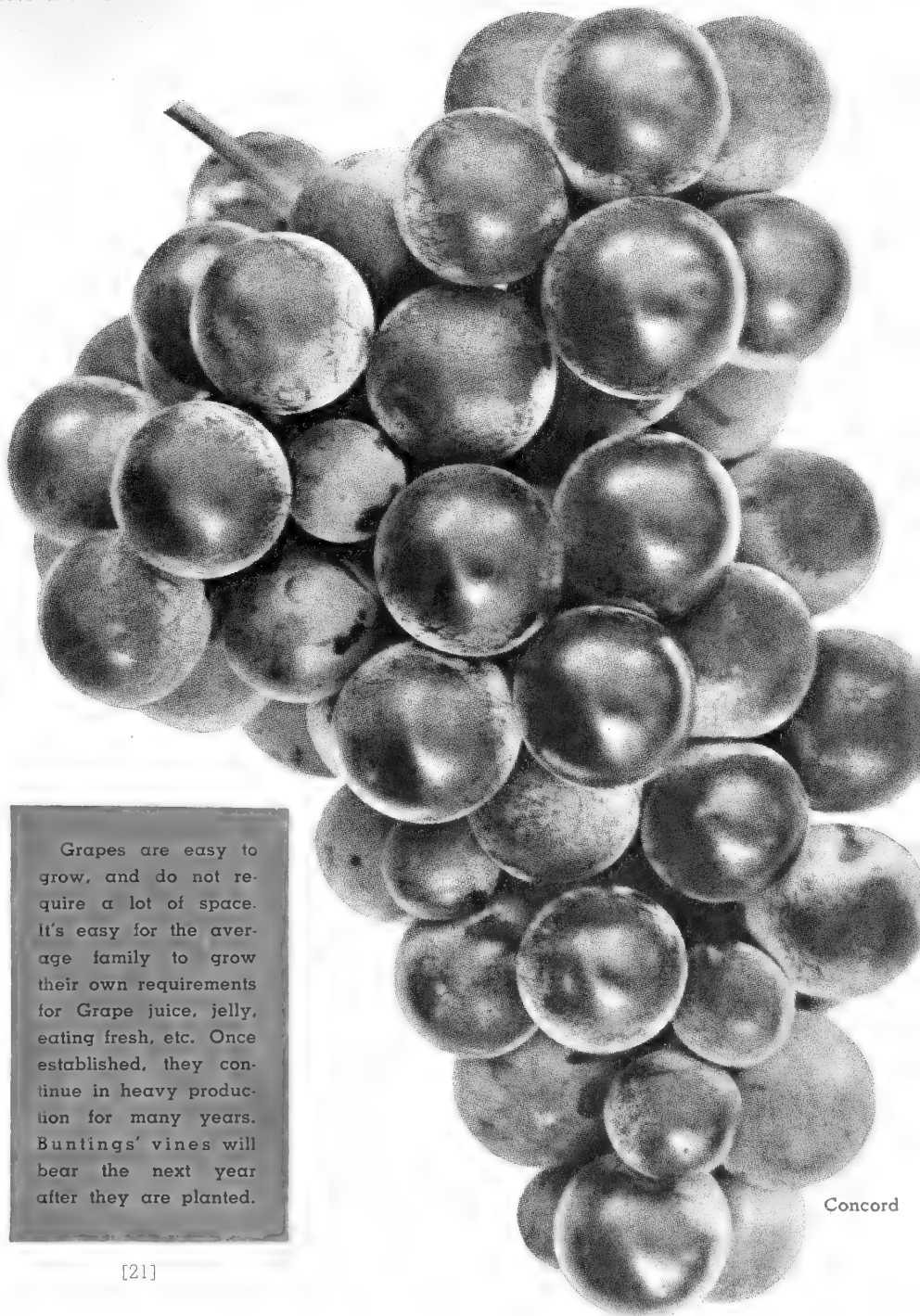
## CONCORD — *A Universal Favorite for 90 Years*

Discovered about 90 years ago. Apparently a seedling of a wild Grape. It early established the record of being the "Grape for the millions"—the KING of the Grape family. It is still the best all-around Grape. Its adaptability to varying climatic conditions alone makes it popular, to say nothing of what can be made of its fruit, such as sweet Grape juice, jellies, jam, marmalade, etc.

Concord is a very vigorous grower, hardy and very productive. Ripens midseason and known as the best money-making commercial variety; also, for home use, it is unsurpassed by any other variety.

### GRAPES

A small sum invested in vigorous Bunting-grown vines turns your idle land into fruitfulness and value.



Concord

and to heavy clay. They  
or trellises.

in our own nurseries

Plant eight to ten feet

**MOORE'S DIAMOND.** White. Ripens early September. Berries medium size, and desirable for Grape juice. Good quality fruit.

**PORTLAND.** White, very early, cluster medium large, berry good quality. Very hardy, vigorous grower; productive. New and very promising.

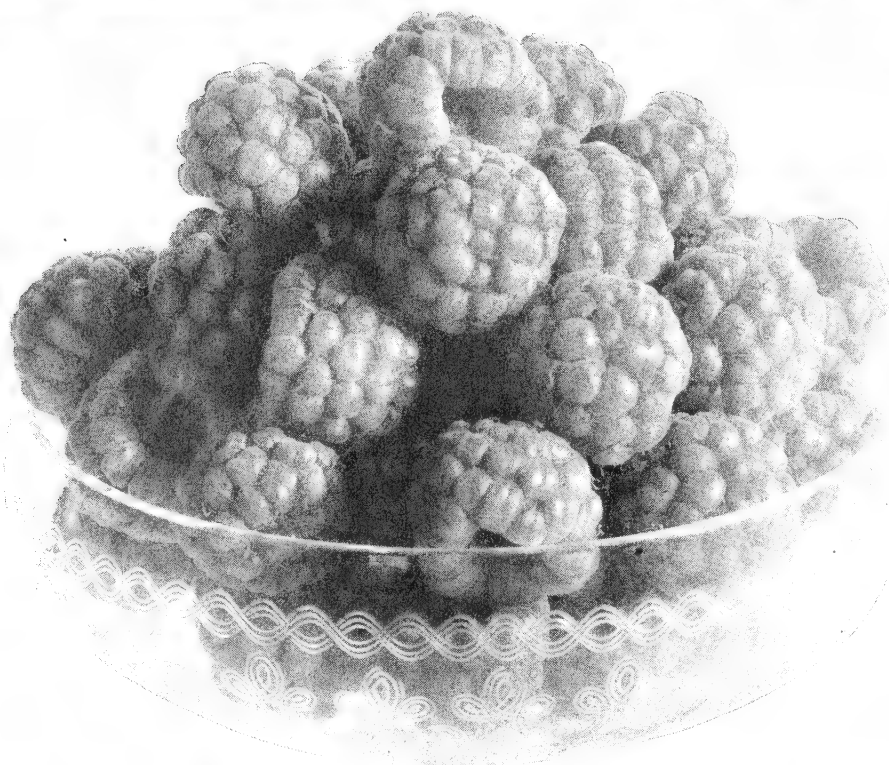
**WORDEN.** Vine moderate grower, very hardy and productive. Grapes very large, thin skin, very fine flavor, blue-black in color and fine for home use or nearby market. One of the earliest, ripening about 10 days before Concord. Fruits heavily on young vines.

### PRICES ALL VARIETIES GRAPES:

	Each	3	10	25	50	100
2-yr., No. 1 . . .	\$0.60	\$1.65	\$4.50	\$9.40	\$15.65	\$25.00
1-yr., No. 1 . . .	.50	1.35	3.60	7.50	12.50	20.00

Grapes are easy to grow, and do not require a lot of space. It's easy for the average family to grow their own requirements for Grape juice, jelly, eating fresh, etc. Once established, they continue in heavy production for many years. Buntings' vines will bear the next year after they are planted.

# Buntings' Remarkable Raspberries *are*



**CHIEF.** (Red). Ripens ten days earlier than Latham. Very hardy, can be grown successfully in cold climates. Fruit is firm and of fine flavor. Unusually healthy and vigorous. Chief is mosaic-proof and will not take on mildew.

**SUNRISE.** The earliest red raspberry of them all. The bright red, round berries are juicy, have a delicious flavor and aroma, fine, firm texture. It combines the necessary characteristics of a successful berry—earliness and high quality of fruit, also hardiness and resistance to disease. Excellent for home use.

**TAYLOR.** This new red raspberry promises to be the best of them all for New York and the northern states. Plants are vigorous, hardy, productive, tall growing, and increase rapidly. Sturdy canes hold the berries well off the ground. The berries, bright attractive red, are thick-fleshed, firm, and of excellent quality.

**ST. REGIS EVERBEARER.** Ripens with the earliest and continues on young canes until autumn. Color red; flesh firm and meaty. Largely planted.

## Newburgh

(Red.) Midseason. A new variety introduced by the New York Fruit Testing Association. Plant vigorous grower, branching more than most red varieties.

Hardy, very productive. Fruit very large, firm. Does not crumble. Precedes Latham a few days in ripening. An excellent shipper and keeper.

### BUNTINGS' DIRECT-TO-YOU LOW PRICES. ALL SELECTED BIG - ROOTED SPECIMENS.

#### RASPBERRIES, ALL VARIETIES

	5	10	25	100
1-yr., No. 1 grade .....	\$1.50	\$2.25	\$4.10	\$12.35
SUPER SIZE .....	2.50	3.25	6.50	20.00

## INDIAN SUMMER

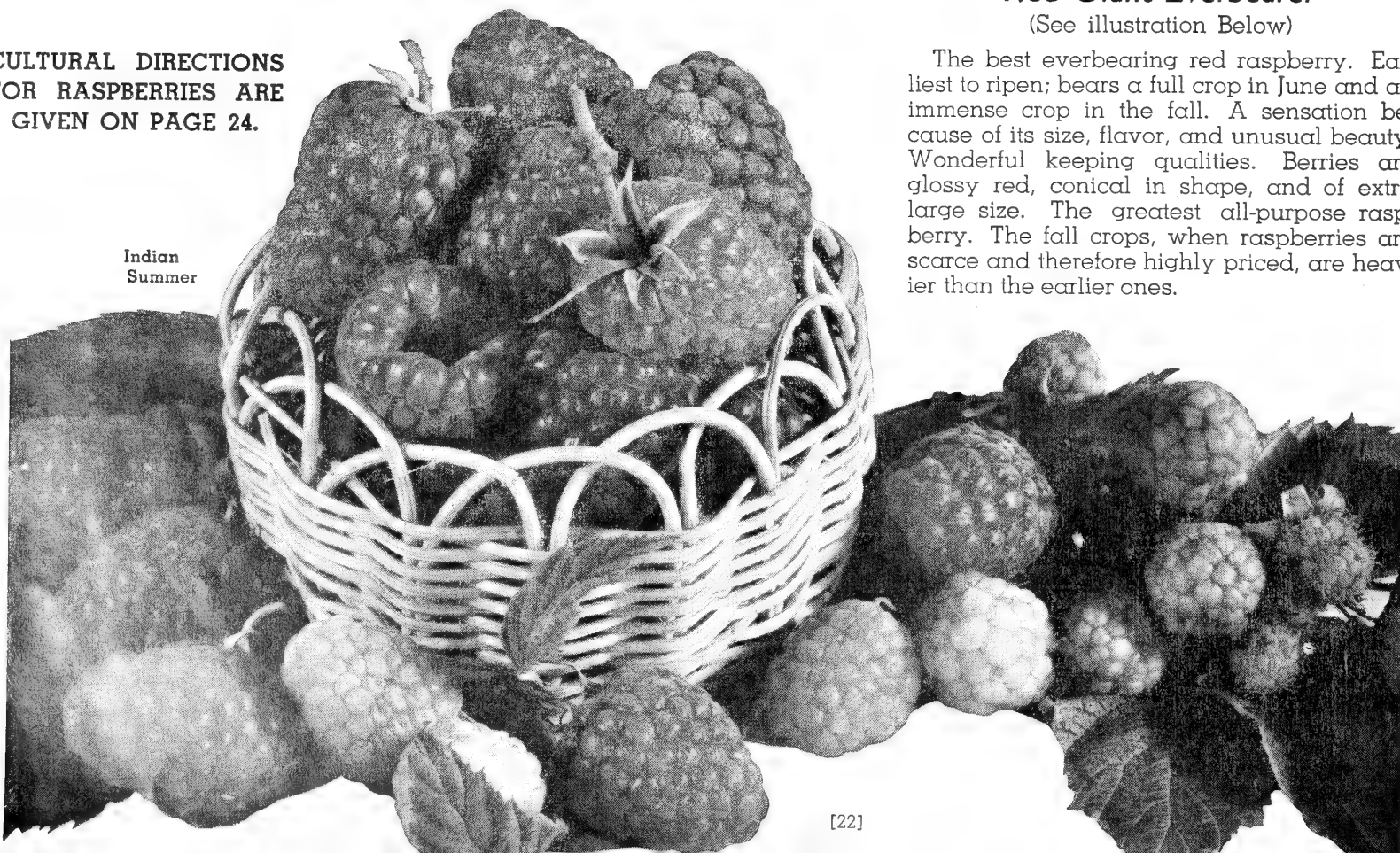
### *Red Giant Everbearer*

(See illustration Below)

The best everbearing red raspberry. Earliest to ripen; bears a full crop in June and an immense crop in the fall. A sensation because of its size, flavor, and unusual beauty. Wonderful keeping qualities. Berries are glossy red, conical in shape, and of extra large size. The greatest all-purpose raspberry. The fall crops, when raspberries are scarce and therefore highly priced, are heavier than the earlier ones.

CULTURAL DIRECTIONS  
FOR RASPBERRIES ARE  
GIVEN ON PAGE 24.

Indian  
Summer





# Rapid, Vigorous Growers

**Plant Buntings' Well Developed Raspberry Bushes That are Noted for Their Splendid Root System.**

You can make money with Raspberries because their delicate flavor won't keep, and the berries can't be shipped long distances. This gives you all the local market, with little competition from outside—and a chance to sell on a quality basis alone.

## LATHAM

Latham is free from insects and diseases and multiplies rapidly. In the Northwest, the great berry-growing section of America, growers are more enthusiastic over Latham and are planting it heavily each year. The most popular midseason to late red Raspberry grown today. Very hardy; cold weather seems to have no effect on its bearing ability. Very large size, fine color; they start ripening in midseason and continue an unbelievably long time. Plants are vigorous growers; mosaic free.

### RASPBERRIES, ALL VARIETIES

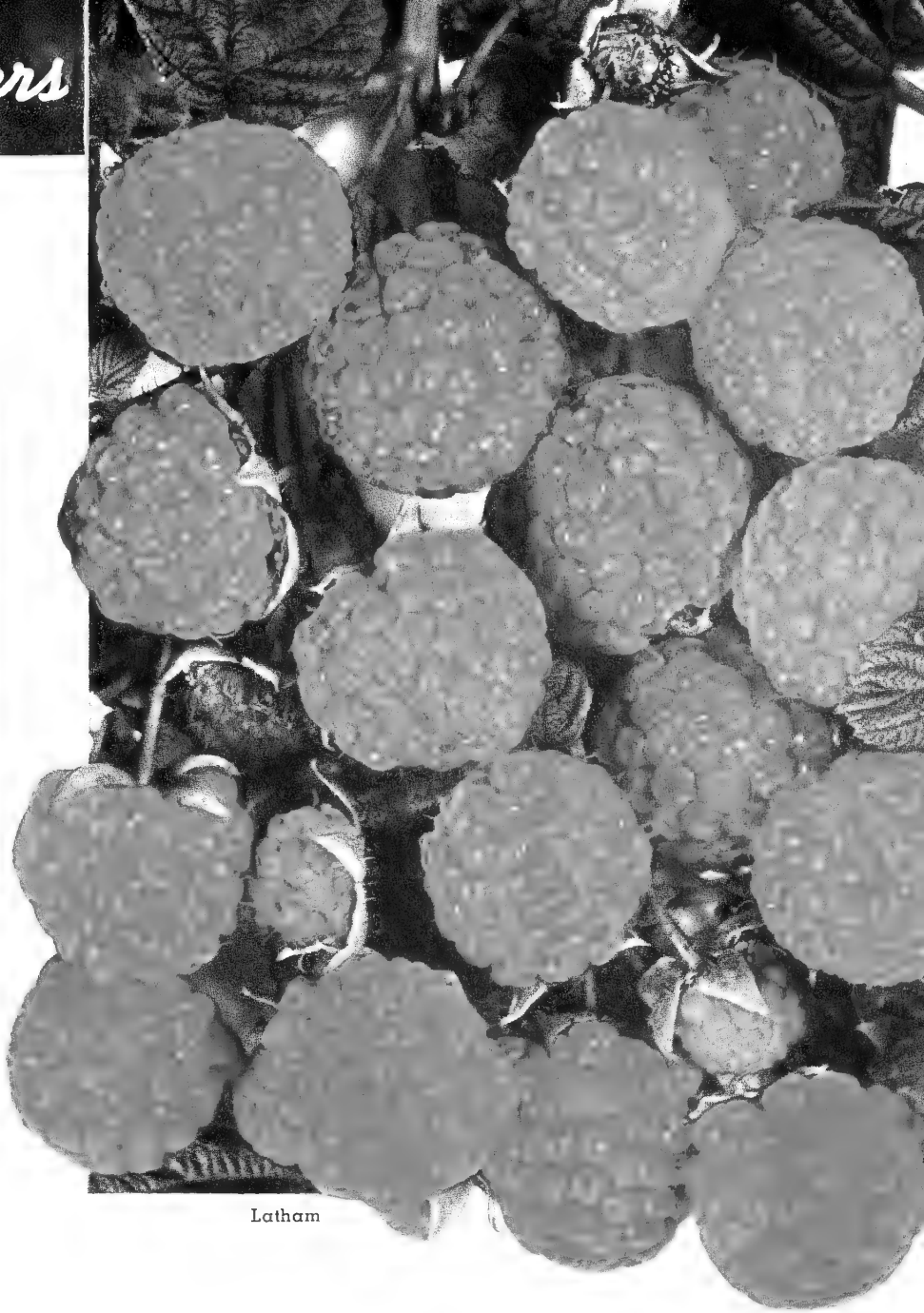
	5	10	25	100
1-yr., No. 1 grade .....	\$1.50	\$2.25	\$4.10	\$12.35
SUPER SIZE .....	2.00	3.25	6.50	20.00

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### THE BLACK RASPBERRY

In blacks—your best bet. Produces large, jet black fruit, firm and of excellent quality; sweet and mild, ripening in midseason and continuing for two weeks. Extensively planted for commercial purposes and for table use.

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Latham

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**BLOWERS.** Buntings' plants are the heaviest fruiting and best blackberries in the world. Very hardy, the berries are sweet and delicious, jet black color, good shippers, ripen in July.

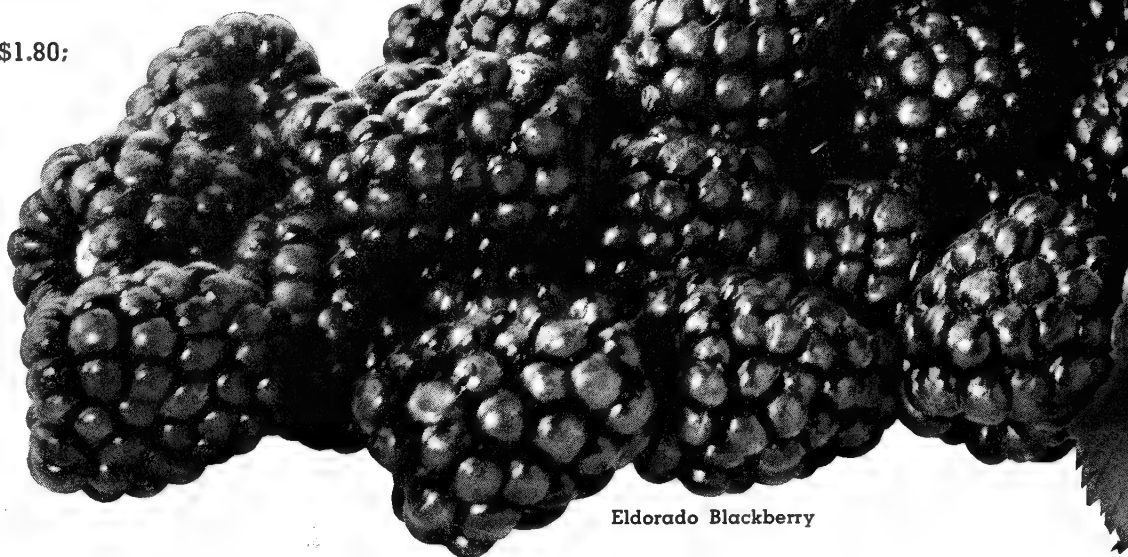
**ELDORADO.** Another fine quality blackberry. Plants are vigorous and seldom fail to produce a bumper crop. Commercial growers like their shipping qualities.

## FIELD CULTURE BLACKBERRIES AND DEWBERRIES

Plant in rows 7 feet apart with plants set 4 feet apart in the rows (1,555 plants to set an acre at given distances).

Plow a furrow about 5 or 6 inches deep or dig holes 6 inches deep and 6 inches square. Spread roots, fill hole with soil; firm well. Cut stock after planting approximately 2 inches above ground level. Let them grow and the following spring cut the new growth back one-third, leaving two-thirds of the season's growth for production of berries. After they have fruited cut all fruiting canes out and burn them. Cultivate occasionally and follow same procedure each year, allowing about 6 to 10 canes on each plant to stand for fruiting each season.

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Eldorado Blackberry

## DEWBERRIES

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**LCRETIA.** Extremely productive. Berries extra large, black in color; flavor rich, sweet and delicious.

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Lucretia Dewberries



## HOW TO GROW RASPBERRIES SUCCESSFULLY

### CULTURAL DIRECTIONS—RED RASPBERRIES

Two methods of culture are commonly used, the hill system and the solid row system. Under the first system plants are usually set five feet apart each way while under the second system they are set three feet apart in rows seven feet apart. Place plants in hole or furrow, spread roots, fill to ground level, and press soil firmly. After planting, cut all canes back to 2 or 3 inches above the ground level. The following spring, before growth starts, prune canes back to a length of about three feet. After fruiting season cut out all fruiting canes and burn them to destroy any disease or insects. Future year's growth should be confined to six or eight strong canes to each plant, following same procedure year after year.

## Cultural Directions

### BLACK RASPBERRIES

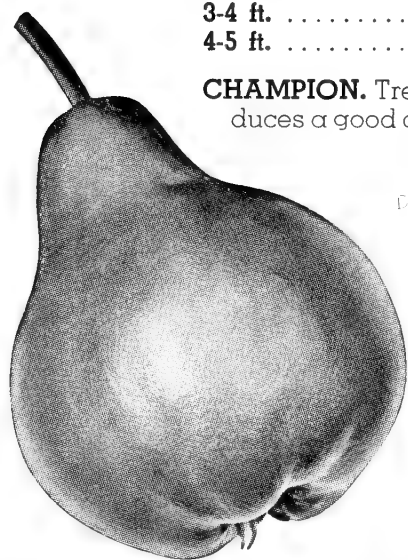
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# Apricot, Quince, September Cherry, Horseradish, Nut Trees

## QUINCE TREES

For Jelly, Jam and Marmalade



	(Per tree)	1 to 9 trees	10 or more trees
3-4 ft. ....		\$1.60	\$1.40
4-5 ft. ....		2.00	1.75

**CHAMPION.** Tree strong grower; produces a good crop every year. Fruit is large and of good quality. Late.

**BOURGEOIS.** Large, golden yellow, fine quality. Ripens soon after Orange.

**ORANGE.** Good size. Heavy bearer. Flesh yellow. October.

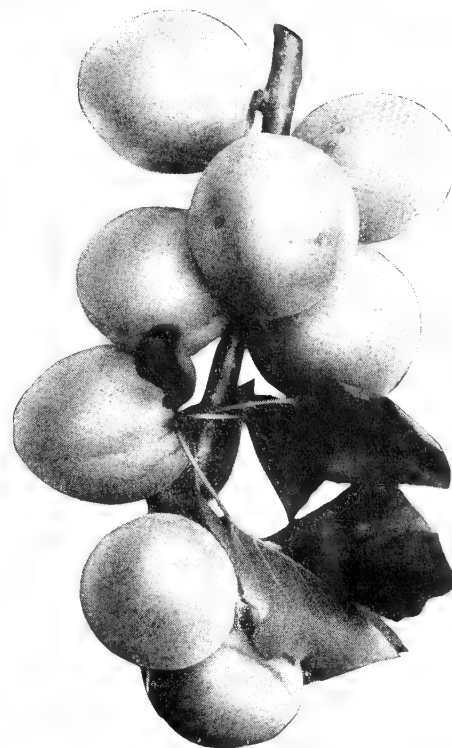
## HARDY APRICOT TREES

They Grow Like Peaches

	(Per tree)	1 to 9 trees	10 or more trees
3-4 ft. ....		\$1.50	\$1.30
4-5 ft. ....		1.70	1.50
5-6 ft. ....		2.00	1.75

**ALEXANDER.** Fruit large, yellow flecked with red.

**MOORPARK.** Orange-yellow fruit with red cheeks.



Alexander Apricots

## Horseradish

**MALINER KREN.** Very hardy, and thrives best in cool, moist earth, but will thrive well on any soil that produces crops of any kind. Plants are vigorous, and roots grow to a large size. **Price:** 1-yr., No. 1 plants, 10 for \$1.50; 25 for \$3.00; 100 for \$10.00.



Horseradish

## Sweet September Cherry

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The amazing new fall-bearing Cherry. Produces deliciously sweet Cherries, medium dark red, large size fruit, which ripen about September 1st. The young trees start bearing the second or third year after planting, and continue producing heavy crops thereafter. **Price:** Strong, 3 to 4 ft. trees, \$2.50 each.



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### PRICES MARY WASHINGTON ASPARAGUS:

	25	50	100	250	1000
SUPER SIZE, extra heavy . . .	\$3.75	\$6.25	\$10.00	\$20.00	\$50.00
2-yr., No. 1 grade . . . . .	3.00	5.00	8.00	16.00	40.00
1-yr., No. 1 grade . . . . .	2.25	3.75	6.00	12.00	30.00

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Sensational **new**, early maturing variety. Produces a normal crop in many instances one year earlier than ordinary varieties. Growers who have seen this Asparagus growing have been amazed to see the straight, crisp, large stalks that were produced from roots set the previous spring. An exceptionally strong, vigorous grower. Large, crisp, tender stalks with exceptionally fine, mild flavor. With today's trend of freezing vegetables for the market, it has another distinct advantage in that it retains its fresh flavor after freezing. Because it brings returns one year earlier than other varieties, and because of its great size, large crop and fine, mild flavor, plant Paradise in your Defense Garden this spring.

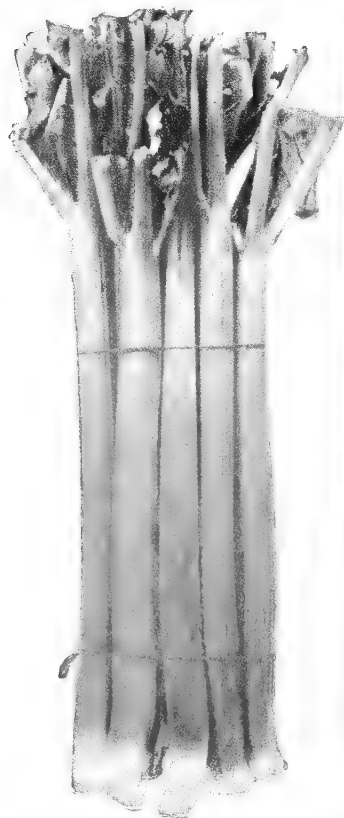
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2-yr., No. 1 grade . . . . .	3.35	5.60	9.00	18.00	45.00
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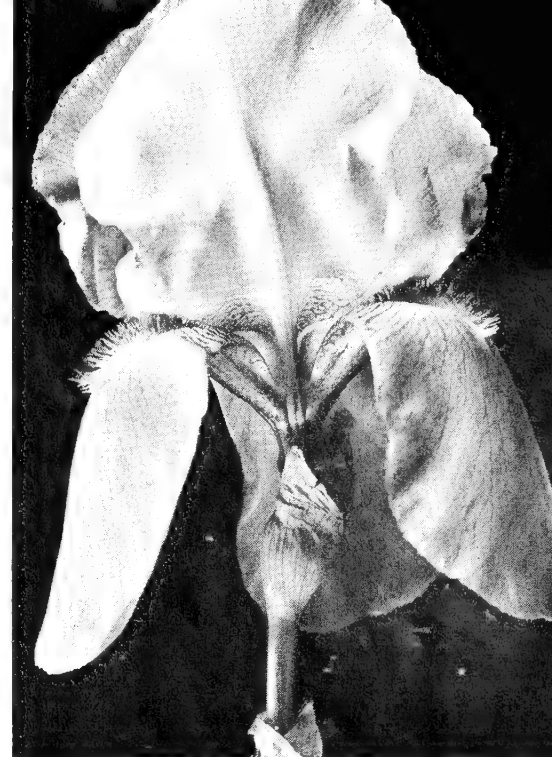
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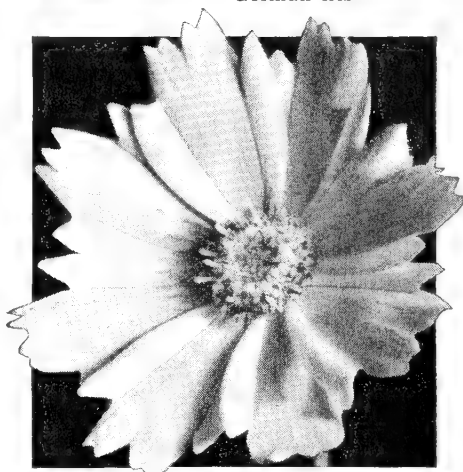
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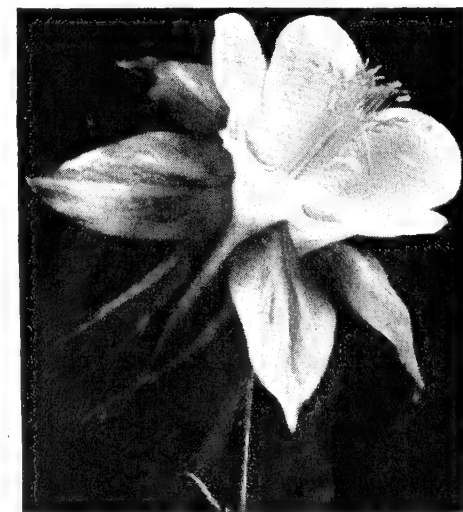
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Cushion 'Mum

Perennials thrive and bloom year after year. They give your yard all-season beauty. All Buntings' Perennials are strong 2-year-old, field-grown plants.

**SPEEDWELL (Veronica).** Rich blue flower spikes in August.

**COREOPSIS (Tickseed).** Pure yellow flowers from June to frost. See illustration below.

**DAY LILY (Hemerocallis).** Bloom July and August; rich golden yellow to deep golden orange. See illustration below.

**GAILLARDIA (Blanket Flower).** Blooms from June to November; brilliant orange-yellow red-centered flowers. See illustration at left.

**PHLOX.** Immense flower heads are carried on straight strong stems, from midsummer to autumn. Colors: white, pink, and purple.

**BLEEDING HEART (Dicentra eximia).** Lend a fine romantic touch to any garden. Thrive in shade. See illustration at left.

**BABY'S BREATH.** Small, whitish pink flowers from July to September; excellent for cutting.

**FALSE DRAGONHEAD.** Flowers lively pink, similar to Snapdragon. Blooms from July to September. Thrives in all soils.

**CUSHION 'MUMS.** This compact bush is literally covered with hundreds of dainty flowers during late summer and fall. Colors: pink, white, and bronze. See illustration below.

**CHRYSANTHEMUMS.** Blooms from late summer all through autumn. Excellent for bouquets. Colors: red, white, and yellow.

**DELPHINIUM.** One of the most popular and best known perennials. The flowers are various shades of blue, produced on long stems starting in June. See illustration below.

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Clematis Paniculata

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**BOSTON IVY** (*Ampelopsis Veitchii*). Grows very dense. Foliage green and very healthy. Price: 2-yr. vines, 75c each.

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2-yr., 12 to 18 in. ....	1.50	12.50
2-yr., 18 to 24 in. ....	1.75	15.00
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2-yr., 12 to 18 in. ....	2.50	20.00
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Red-Leaf Barberry

**CALIFORNIA PRIVET**. America's leading hedge plant. Its foliage is of the deepest, richest green and stays on until late winter. Very hardy; easily and quickly pruned.

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18 to 24 in. ....	1.80	15.00	100.00
2 to 3 ft. ....	2.50	20.00	150.00

**PRIVET, IBOLIUM**. This upright Privet is a hybrid of the California and Ibota varieties. It has the bushiness and hardiness of the Ibota, and the bright green foliage of the California. Unexcelled for tall screens and formal hedges.

	10	100	1000
12 to 18 in. ....	\$1.50	\$12.00	\$ 70.00
18 to 24 in. ....	1.80	15.00	100.00
2 to 3 ft. ....	2.50	20.00	150.00

**SPIREA VAN HOUTTEI** (*Bridal Wreath*). Beautiful hedge with masses of white flowers in early spring. Grows six to eight feet high. Plant 12 to 18 inches apart.

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**CALEDONIA.** Exquisite long buds of ivory-white, changing to pure white as the flowers open. The best white.

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**DUCHESS OF LUXEMBOURG.** Rich golden yellow.

**DUCHESS OF WELLINGTON.** Large, well-formed buds, opening to semi-double saffron-yellow flowers, stained with crimson and changing to lighter yellow.

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**ETOILE DE FRANCE.** Well-formed buds that develop into full open flowers of red and soft velvety crimson, shading to vivid cerise.

**GOLDEN DAWN.** Fragrant blooms of sunflower-yellow; healthy foliage.

**GRUSS AN TEPLITZ.** Bright scarlet, shading to velvety crimson; fragrant, free flowering.

**LADY HILLINGDON.** Apricot-yellow, profuse bloomer.

**LOS ANGELES.** Flame-pink buds, long and pointed.

**MARGARET MCGREDY.** One of the most popular red roses. Almost always in bloom; a thrifty, vigorous grower.

**MME. EDOUARD HERRIOT.** Coral-red, free blooming variety.

**PINK RADIANCE.** Extra hardy, vigorous and prolific. A most popular variety.

**RED RADIANCE.** Large, globular flowers of an even, clear red. Constantly in bloom. Very popular.

**SYRACUSE.** A new rose, outstanding in the brilliance of its bright crimson hue.

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3 for	..... 3.60
6 for	..... 6.90
10 for	.....11.00

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**Cl. Etoile de Hollande.** Bright red.

**Cl. Pres. Hoover.** Maroon, orange and gold.

**Cl. Pink Radiance.** Brilliant rose-pink.

**Cl. Red Radiance.** Clear, brilliant red.

**Cl. Talisman.** Red and gold.

**Crimson Rambler.** Bright crimson.

**Mary Wallace.** Bright pink.

**Paul's Scarlet.** Vivid scarlet-red.

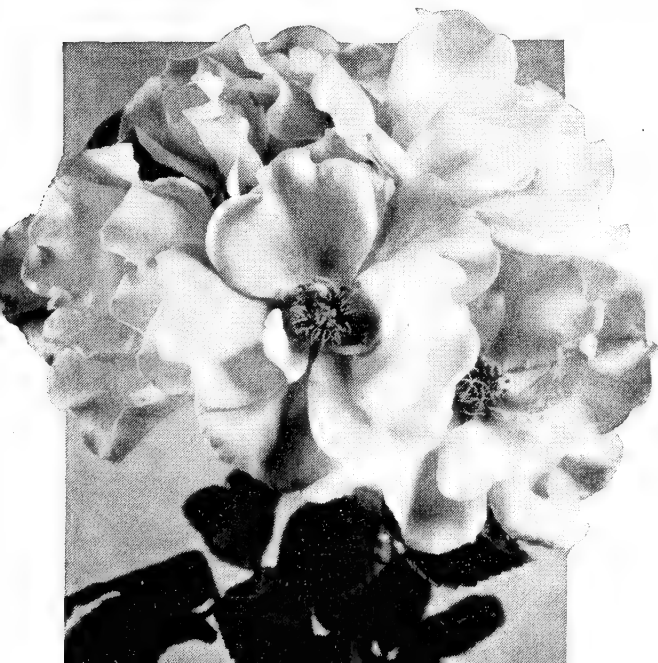
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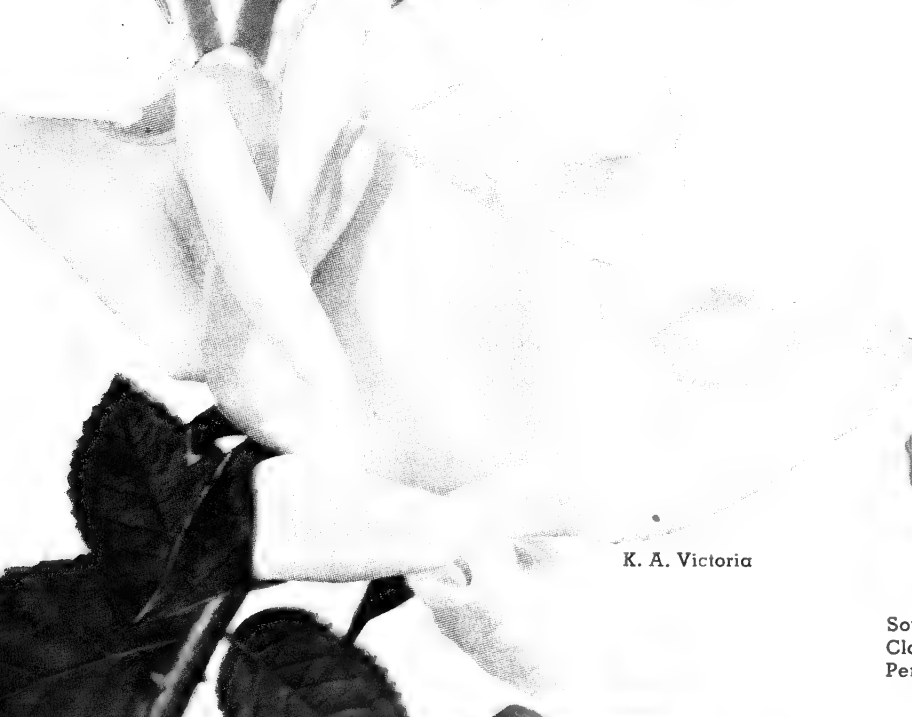
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**PFITZER'S JUNIPER.** Broad, bushy, with gray-green branches. Price: 15 to 18 in., \$2.25 each; 2 for \$4.40.

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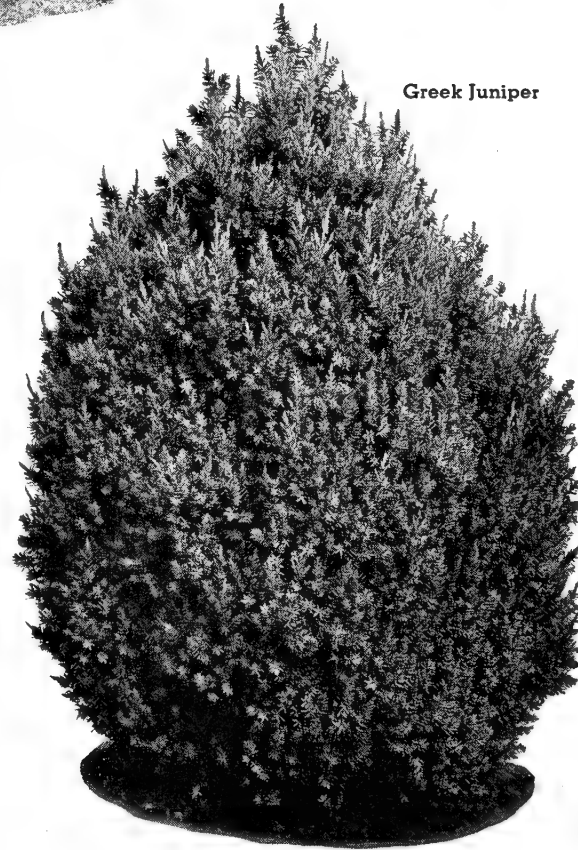
## ARBUTUS

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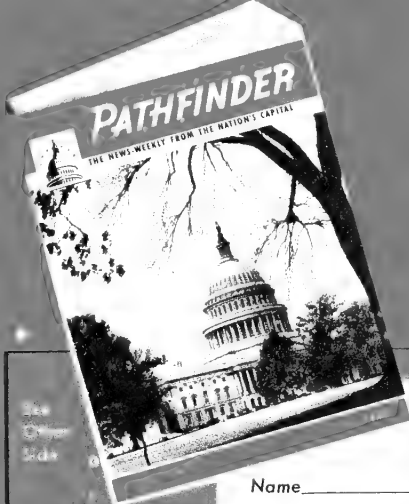
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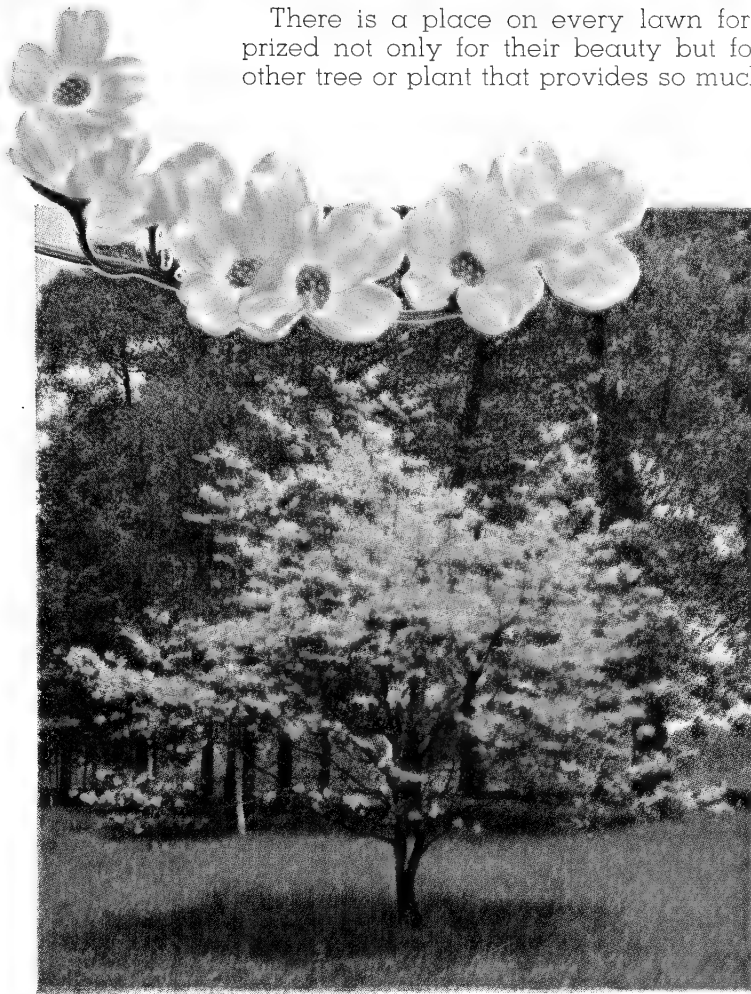
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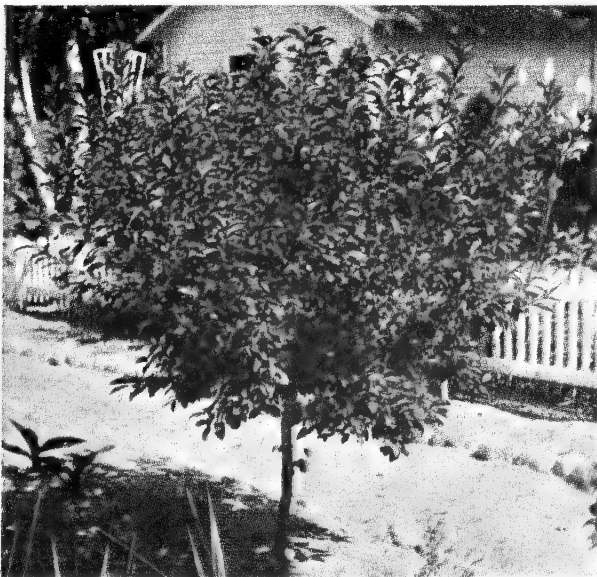
There is a place on every lawn for one or more of these choice flowering trees. They are hardy, prized not only for their beauty but for shade, grow larger year after year, and we do not know of any other tree or plant that provides so much for the original amount of money invested.



Pink Flowering Dogwood

**DOUBLE FLOWERING CHERRY.** Well known because of the renowned plantings in Washington, D. C. Varieties: **Kwanzan** (double, dark pink). **Yoshino** (single white). **Naden** (double, deep pink). Order by variety. **Price:** 3 to 4 ft., \$3.00 each.

**WEeping FLOWERING CHERRY.** A weeping form of the popular Double Flowering Cherry. Has slender, pendulous branches hanging nearly to the ground. In early May the branches are strung thickly with showy rose-pink flowers. **Price:** 2-year heads, 5 to 6 ft. stems, \$5.00 each.



Purple-Leaf Plum

**DOUBLE FLOWERING PEACH.** Small trees, covered in early spring with double, roselike flowers. Colors: red, white and pink. State choice of color. **Price:** 4 to 5 ft., \$1.00 each; 5 to 6 ft., \$1.50 each.

**PURPLE LEAF PLUM.** A profusion of blooms in May. Deep red foliage all spring and summer. **Price:** 4 to 5 ft., \$1.50 each; 5 to 6 ft., \$1.75 each.

**JUDAS TREE (Redbud).** A small tree or large bush with a broad round top. In May, before the leaves appear, it bears dense masses of deep rose-pink flowers. **Price:** 4 to 5 ft., \$1.75 each.

**TULIP TREE (Tulip Poplar).** A magnificent tree, pyramidal in habit and quick in growth, which is known for its free and graceful branching and its glossy blue-green foliage. In June it is beautifully adorned with a multitude of large tulip-like flowers with orange centers. **Price:** 6 to 8 ft., \$2.75 each.

**WHITE FLOWERING DOGWOOD.** In early May this small native tree is a cloud of white flowers, and in the autumn the upper sides of the leaves turn a brilliant crimson. **Price:** 4 to 5 ft., \$2.50 each.

**PINK FLOWERING DOGWOOD.** A profusion of pink and red flowers in May. Its foliage is unusually brilliant in the fall. **Price:** 2 to 3 ft., \$2.50 each.

**BECHTEL'S FLOWERING CRAB.** A double flowering variety, with blooms of light pink color, appearing as small Roses. Medium sized tree with open branches. **Price:** 3 to 4 ft., \$1.50 each; 4 to 5 ft., \$2.00 each.

**HOPA FLOWERING CRAB.** A handsome ornamental tree. An abundance of bright red flower clusters in the spring. **Price:** 4 to 5 ft., \$1.50 each; 5 to 6 ft., \$2.00 each.

Weeping Cherry



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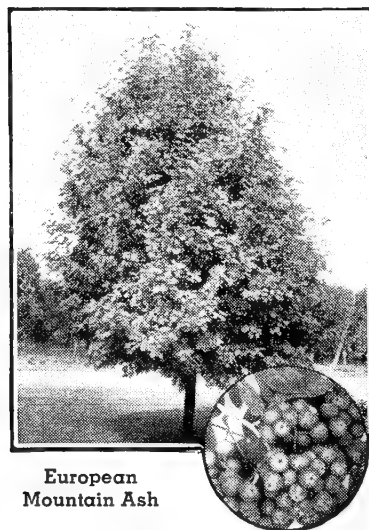
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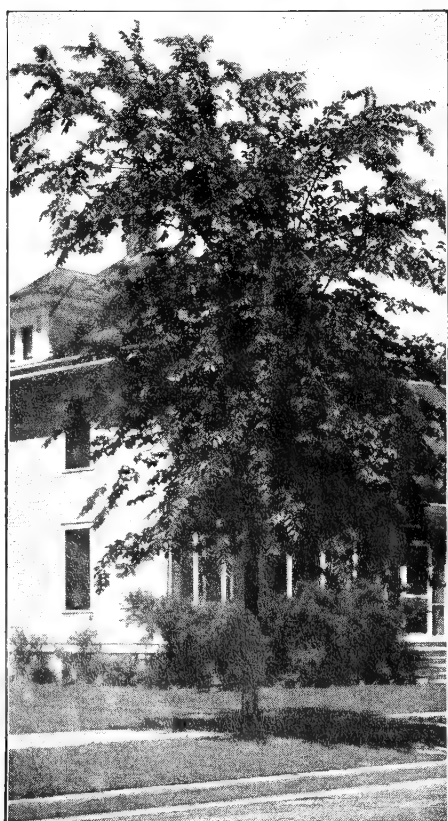
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Sugar Maple



European Mountain Ash



American Elm

**EUROPEAN MOUNTAIN ASH.** A very attractive small, hardy tree which bears clusters of scarlet berries from July to winter. **Price: 6 to 8 ft., \$3.00 each.**

**AMERICAN ELM.** A stately and dignified tree. Popular for street, park and roadway. **Price: 8 to 10 ft., \$3.00 each.**

**SWEET GUM.** Large star-shaped leaves, which turn to a blazing scarlet in the fall. Compact, strong grower; a clean, stately and well-shaped tree. **Price: 6 to 8 ft., \$3.50 each.**

**MAIDENHAIR TREE.** Tall, narrow, sparsely branched tree. The leaves, in form, resemble the maidenhair fern. Will withstand extreme heat or cold. **Price: 6 to 8 ft., \$4.00 each.**

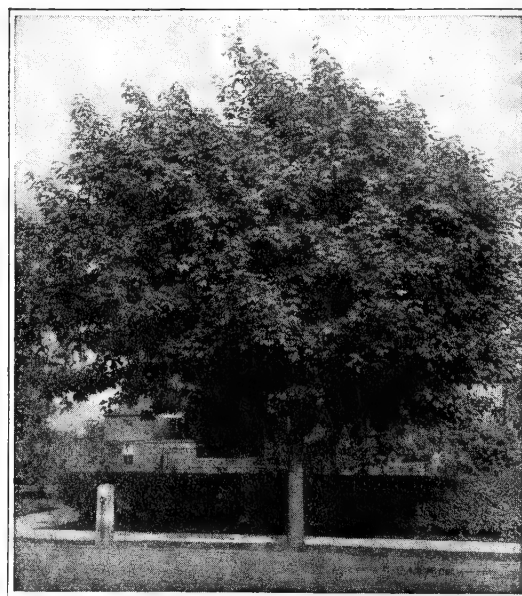
**SILVER MAPLE.** Well known, most popular rapid growing shade tree. **Price: 8 to 10 ft., \$2.50 each.**

**SUGAR MAPLE.** An excellent shade, park, or driveway tree, oval in form and very dense. **Price: 6 to 8 ft., \$3.00 each; 8 to 10 ft., \$4.00 each.**

**SCHWEDLER MAPLE.** Similar to the Norway Maple in form and leaf except the leaves are red in spring and early summer, and turn to purple in late summer and fall. **Price: 6 to 8 ft., \$4.00 each.**

**NORWAY MAPLE.** Symmetrical, dense, round-headed tree; well known, justly popular. **Price: 6 to 8 ft., \$2.75 each; 8 to 10 ft., \$3.75 each.**

**BLOODLEAF MAPLE.** Intense blood-red leaves throughout spring; purple during summer and autumn. A dwarf, bushy tree for the lawn. **Price: 3 to 4 ft., B&B, \$10.00 each.**



Norway Maple



Maiden Hair Tree

**ORIENTAL PLANE.** Considered the most popular and successful tree for city planting. Dense grower; very symmetrical. **Price: 6 to 8 ft., \$2.25 each; 8 to 10 ft., \$3.00 each.**

**LOMBARDY POPLAR.** A tall spire-like tree. Effective for screens and vertical accents. **Price: 6 to 8 ft., \$1.00 each; 8 to 10 ft., \$1.25 each.**

**WISCONSIN WEEPING WILLOW.** Most popular of all weeping willow trees. See illustration. **Price: 6 to 8 ft., \$2.00 each.**



Wisconsin Weeping Willow



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# BUNTINGS' fine FLOWERING SHRUBS

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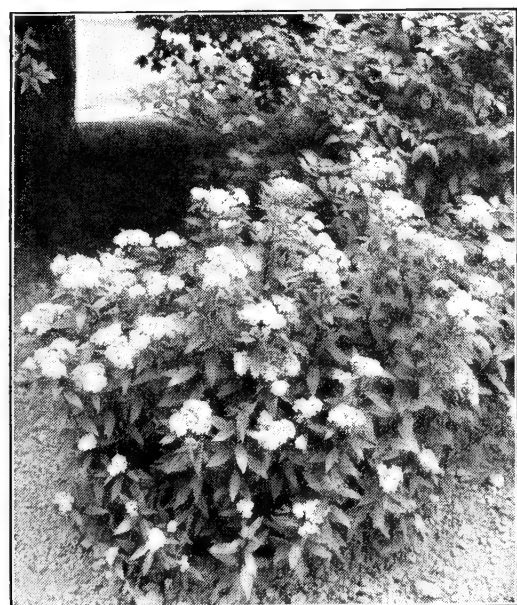


Hydrangea—Hills of Snow

**RED-LEAVED BARBERRY.** Same as the popular, well-known, hardy-as-an-oak Greenleaf Barberry, except that the foliage is deep red in the spring and deep purple during the summer months. Popular for planting in clumps, hedges, as well as in foundation plantings. **Price: 18 to 24 in., 70c each; \$6.50 per 10.**

**FARQUHAR BUTTERFLY BUSH.** Lilac-colored flowers from early August until autumn. Vigorous grower. **Price: 1½ to 2 ft., 70c each; 2 to 3 ft., 80c each.**

**CORALBERRY or INDIAN CURRANT.** A dwarf shrub which thrives in the shade. The coral-colored berries last until late winter, and are produced profusely. **Price: 1½ to 2 ft., 70c each; 2 to 3 ft., 80c each.**



Spirea Anthony Waterer

**SNOWBALL (*Viburnum opulus sterile*).** White balls of blooms in May. A well known very popular shrub. **Price: 18 to 24 in., 80c each.**

**WHITE SNOWBERRY.** This low, shade-loving plant bears rose-white flowers in summer, and large white berries in winter. A superb fine-textured shrub for borders and shady foundation plantings. **Price: 1½ to 2 ft., 70c each; 2 to 3 ft., 80c each.**

**SPIREA ANTHONY WATERER.** A dwarf and very dense little shrub which bears flat clusters of rose-pink flowers all summer. If the bloomed heads are removed it will continue to flower more abundantly. **Price: 12 to 15 in., 70c each; 15 to 18 in., 80c each.**

**HYDRANGEA OTAKSA.** Large blue or pink blooms in midsummer (color depending upon soil acidity). Either color is most attractive. Very popular. **Price: Strong, 2-yr. plants, \$1.50 each.**



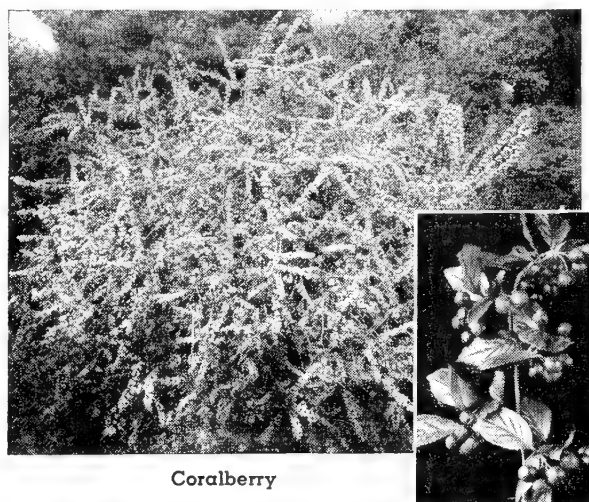
White Snowberry

**CRAPE MYRTLE.** Spring planting only. A strong growing shrub, adapting itself to almost any soil and condition except in the northern sections where the temperature often drops below zero. Does very well south of Philadelphia. Leaves bright green; the blooms large panicles of crinkled little flowers of brilliant hues. Blooms late July and August. **Price: 2 to 3 ft. plants, \$1.50 each.**

**BLOOD-TWIG DOGWOOD (*Cornus alba sibirica*).** Bright cherry-red stems in winter; creamy white flowers. **Price: 1½ to 2 ft., 70c each; 2 to 3 ft., 80c each.**

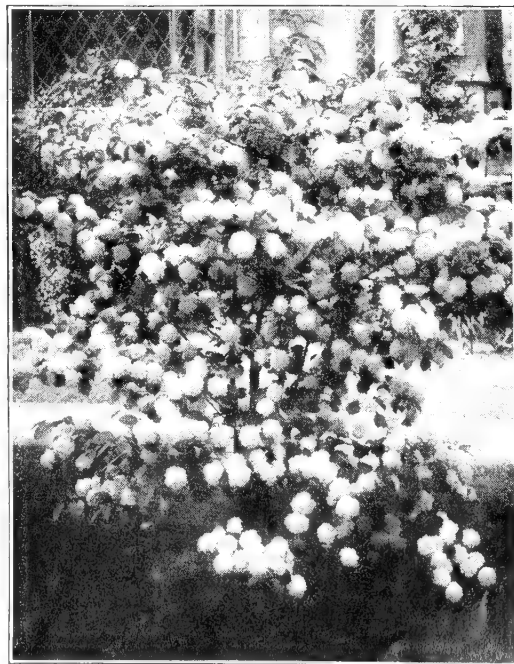
**GOLDEN TWIGGED DOGWOOD (*Cornus stolonifera lutea*).** Very striking yellow branches in winter, and forms a good contrast when planted with the red stem sorts. **Price: 1½ to 2 ft., 70c each; 2 to 3 ft., 80c each.**

**HYDRANGEA, HILLS OF SNOW (*Hydrangea A. G.*).** Known for its profusion of round snow-white blooms which appear early in July and last until late September. Very hardy. **Price: 18 to 24 in., 80c each; 2 to 3 ft., \$1.00 each.**



Coralberry

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Snowball



## NEW FRENCH LILACS Sweetly Perfumed

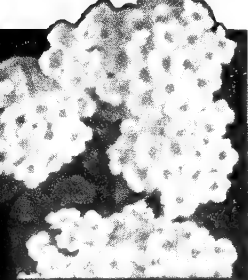
Superfine Varieties—Heavily Rooted  
**CHARLES THE TENTH.** Reddish purple.  
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**PRES. GREVY.** Lilac-blue. Large panicles.  
**SOUVENIR DE LUDWIG SPAETH.** Very large purplish red.

Price all varieties New French  
 Lilacs listed: 18 to 24 in.,  
 \$1.25 each.



**BUTTERFLY BUSH, Charming.** A glorious new shrub bearing throughout the late summer and autumn elegant long sprays covered with lovely lavender-pink blooms. Price: 18 to 24 in., 70c each; 2 to 3 ft., 80c each.

**SPIREA VAN HOUTTEI.** Sometimes called the "Improved Bridal Wreath." A medium-sized shrub covered in late May and June with pure white flowers. Foliage is dark green and fine texture. Price: 18 to 24 in., 70c each; 2 to 3 ft., 80c each.



**PURPLE WISTERIA.** (Climbing Vine.) Purple blooms in great profusion during spring. Fine for porches and trellises. Strong, 2-yr. vines, 80c each.



**ALTHEA, Rose of Sharon.** Upright, very hardy. Color spot of the fall; begins blooming in early summer and continues through the fall months. Your choice of red, white, pink or blue. Price: 1½ to 2 ft. plants, 70c each; 2 to 3 ft. plants, 80c each.

## LANDSCAPE YOUR GROUNDS It's Smart Business— Increase Real Estate Values

Be your own landscape architect. Start this spring with a definite planting plan. Get your trees in, your lawn started, hedges and shrubs planted. Here is a good vigorous beginning that by the end of summer will give you a grand and glorious sense of achievement.

Clever, artistic landscaping has brought a marvelous transformation that you could scarcely believe possible a few months earlier.



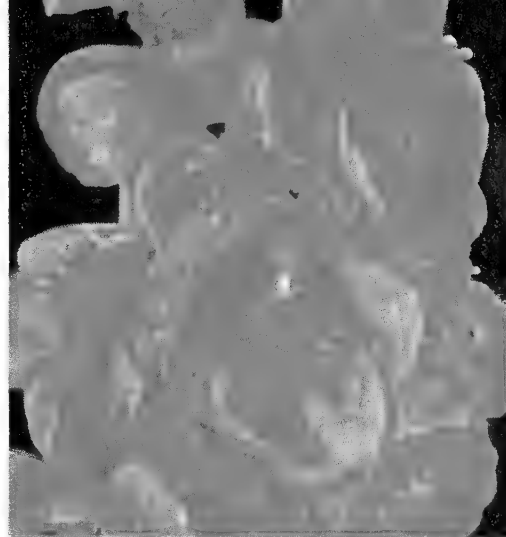
**HYDRANGEA PEE GEE.** Pyramids of creamy white flowers which are tinged with pink in late summer. Price: 18 to 24 in., 70c each; 2 to 3 ft., 80c each.

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**MOCK ORANGE, VIRGINAL.** The new double Syringa, very hardy and vigorous, simply snowed under with hundreds and hundreds of large clusters of double-crested, sweet scented white flowers for many days in spring. Price: 18 to 24 in., 80c each; 2 to 3 ft., \$1.00 each.





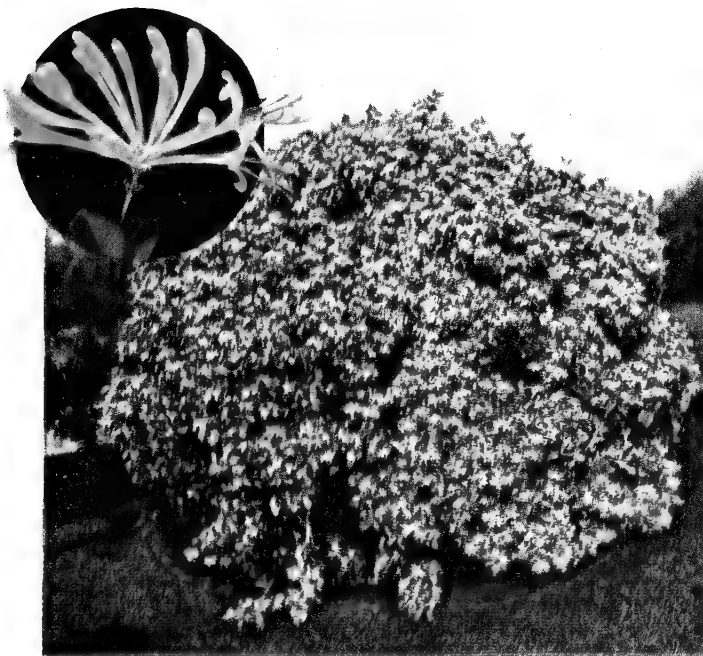
**FLOWERING QUINCE** (*Cydonia Japonica*). Literally covered with brilliant double, scarlet blossoms in early spring. Price: 15 to 18 in., 70c each; 18 to 24 in., 80c each.



**SPIREA BILLIARDI**. Erect, sparsely twigged branches, crowned with dense spikes of rose-pink flowers from July to September. Price: 1½ to 2 ft., 70c each; 2 to 3 ft., 80c each.

**WEIGELA ROSEA**. Remarkably showy, trumpet-shaped flowers of brilliant pink in June and July. Price: 1½ to 2 ft., 70c each; 2 to 3 ft., 80c each.

**WEIGELA, EVA RATHKE**. Dark reddish green foliage; attractive, deep carmine flowers throughout summer and fall. Price: 1½ to 2 ft., 70c each; 2 to 3 ft., 80c each.



**HONEYSUCKLE, TARTARIAN PINK**. A profusion of lovely flowers make a delightful contrast with bright green leaves. Price: 18 to 24 in., 70c each; 2 to 3 ft., 80c each.



**DWARF CRIMSON SPIREA**. Very dense growing plant, with clusters of rose-pink flowers all summer. Price: 15 to 18 in., 70c each; 18 to 24 in., 80c each.



**SWEET SHRUB** (*Calycanthus Floridus*). Sometimes called the Strawberry Shrub. A widely cherished old-fashioned plant. Neat, compact, with large leaves and small double blossoms of dark mahogany color with rare fragrance. Blooms in May and June with a few blossoms from time to time during the summer. Price: 1½ to 2 ft., 70c each; 2 to 3 ft., 80c each.

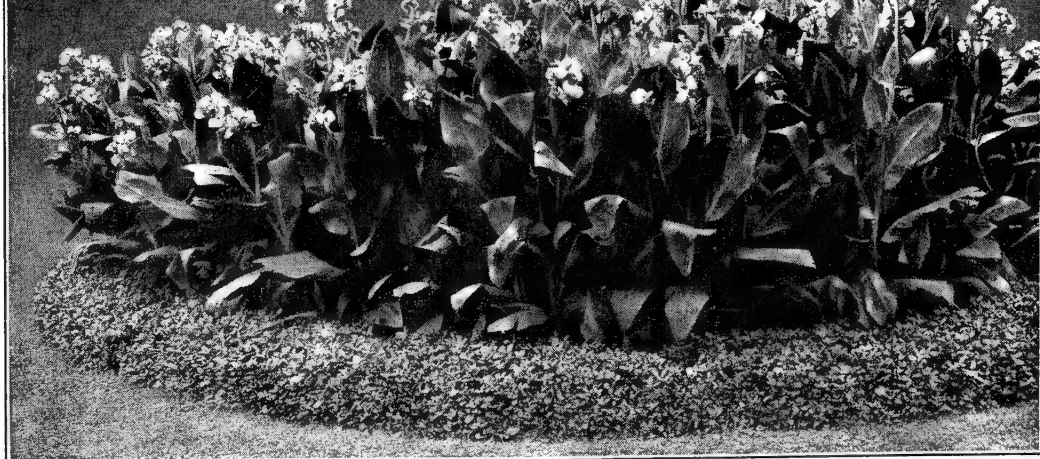
**FORSYTHIA FORTUNEI** (Golden Bell). Their bright masses of golden yellow appear in April, before any foliage; vigorous grower. Price: 1½ to 2 ft., 70c each; 2 to 3 ft., 80c each.

**ALMOND, Double Flowering**. Blooms early spring. Your choice of pink or white. Price: 1½ to 2 ft., 80c each; 2 to 3 ft., \$1.00 each.



**DEUTZIA, Pride of Rochester**. Blooms in May, large double flowers. Price: 1½ to 2 ft., 70c each; 2 to 3 ft., 80c each.





## *Buntings' Superior* **CANNAS**

We grow annually approximately fifty acres of cannas, which makes one of the most colorful field scenes in our nursery during the months of July, August, September and early October. As they bloom in our nurseries each year, we know our varieties are true to name.

We supply large undivided tubers, which will give you much larger plants and a greater volume of flowers. When

planted in the spring as soon as possible after danger of frost, they come up and grow quickly, giving you a great profusion of bloom during late summer and fall.

Plant cannas 18 inches apart each way. A round bed 7 feet across takes 19 bulbs—one in center, six in first row and 12 in the outside row. Plant in full sunlight, and do not plant too early.

**AMBASSADOR.** A new dwarf variety, with red flowers and bronze foliage.

**CALIFORNIA.** Medium. Orange-yellow flowers, green foliage.

**COPPER GIANT.** Tall. New. Giant flowers, old rose suffused with burnished copper; green foliage.

**FLORENCE VAUGHAN.** Medium. Flowers yellow with red spots on petals and red throat, green foliage.

**GLADIATOR.** Dwarf. Flowers yellow with red spots; green foliage.

**HUNGARIA.** One of the finest pinks, green foliage.

**KING HUMBERT.** Tall; scarlet flowers, bronze foliage. Very popular.

**LOUIS CAYEUX.** Medium. A giant flowered bright rosy scarlet; green foliage.

**MADAM CROZY.** Dwarf. Flowers red with yellow edge; green foliage.

**PRESIDENT.** Glowing scarlet, extra large trusses of brilliant color; green foliage. The finest red canna offered today.

**RICHARD WALLACE.** Medium. Canary-yellow flowers; green foliage.

**TRIOMPHE.** Medium. Green foliage. A brilliant dark red bedder.

**YELLOW KING HUMBERT.** Medium; deep rich yellow spotted with red; green foliage.

**Price: Heavy tubers, 3 for 60c; 12 for \$2.00; 25 for \$3.75.**

## **GLADIOLI** • *Selected Large Size Bulbs*

**BETTY NUTHALL.** One of the finest varieties. Large coral-pink with pale yellow throat.

**DR. F. E. BENNETT.** Deep scarlet, marked with white.

**MARY SHARY.** Clear, primrose-yellow, with deep yellow throat.

**MAID OF ORLEANS.** Snow-white, rich creamy throat. A fine cut flower.

**MINUET.** A striking flower of delicate lilac-lavender.

**PICARDY.** Finest apricot-pink. Has a charming wax-like appearance.

### **PRICES:**

**Blooming-size bulbs, 6 for 70c; 12 for \$1.30; 25 for \$2.50; 50 for \$4.75; 100 for \$8.50. (Not less than 6 bulbs of a variety sold).**





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Vistors are always welcome to browse around our nurseries. Come and see our extensive planting of Fruit Trees, Ornamental Trees, Evergreens, Shrubs, etc. See how they are grown and convince yourself first hand of the dependable Bunting quality.



A photograph of a block of ORIENTAL PLANE TREES in our nursery. Note the straight trunks and symmetrical tops . . . they speak for themselves.



Photographed In Our Nurseries. A Fine Block of BUNTINGS' 2-Year Fruit Trees

## Valuable Information

### NUMBER OF TREES REQUIRED TO SET AN ACRE AT VARIOUS DISTANCES

	Trees per acre
Trees planted 35 feet apart each way	35
Trees planted 30 feet apart each way	49
Trees planted 25 feet apart each way	69
Trees planted 20 feet apart each way	109
Trees planted 18 feet apart each way	135
Trees planted 16 feet apart each way	179
Trees planted 14 feet apart each way	222
Trees planted 12 feet apart each way	302
Trees planted 10 feet apart each way	435
Trees planted 8 feet apart each way	680
Trees planted 6 feet apart each way	1,210
Trees planted 4 feet apart each way	2,722

### NUMBER OF PLANTS REQUIRED TO SET AN ACRE AT VARIOUS DISTANCES

1 x 1 ft.	43,560	4 x 2 ft.	5,445
2 x 2 ft.	10,890	5 x 1 ft.	8,712
3 x 1 ft.	14,520	5 x 2 ft.	4,356
3 x 1½ ft.	9,680	6 x 1 ft.	7,260
3 x 2 ft.	7,260	6 x 2 ft.	3,630
4 x 1 ft.	10,506	7 x 1 ft.	6,122
4 x 1½ ft.	7,260	7 x 2 ft.	3,061

### RULES FOR OTHER DISTANCES

Multiply the distance in feet between the rows by the distance the plants are apart in the rows, and the product will be the number of square feet for each plant or hill, which, divided into the number of square feet in an acre (43,560) will give the number of plants or trees to an acre.

### DISTANCE FOR PLANTING — SQUARE METHOD

Distances for planting different kinds of fruit trees, etc., square method:

Peach	20 feet apart each way
Apple, Standard	35 feet apart each way
Cherry, Sour	18 feet apart each way
Cherry, Sweet	20 feet apart each way
Pear, Standard	20 feet apart each way
Plum	20 feet apart each way
Grape Vines	Rows 8 ft. apart, 8 ft. apart in row
Currants	Rows 4 ft. apart, 4 ft. apart in row
Gooseberries	Rows 4 ft. apart, 4 ft. apart in row
Blackberries	Rows 6 ft. apart, 6 ft. apart in row
Raspberries	Rows 4 ft. apart, 5 ft. apart in row
Dewberries	Rows 4 ft. apart, 5 ft. apart in row
Strawberries—	
Field Culture	Rows 4 ft. apart, 1 ft. apart in row
Garden Culture	Rows 2 ft. apart, 1 ft. apart in row
Asparagus—	
In Field	Rows 5 ft. apart, 2 ft. apart in row
In Beds	Rows 1½ ft. apart, 1 ft. apart in row

The illustration below is one of a number of large chicken plants on our farms. We are located in one of the largest chicken-growing sections in the country. From poultry each year we get numerous carloads of superior plant food for the production of better trees and plants. Without this type of plant food, we could not grow fields of trees like those appearing above on this page and others illustrated in other sections of this catalog.





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# Blueberries

BLUEBERRY PRICES:  
(per plant)

	Each	3 to 9 plants	10 to 49 plants
2-year, 6-12 in. . . .	\$1.40	\$1.15	\$1.00
2-year, 12-18 in. . . .	1.85	1.55	1.35
3-year, 18-24 in. . . .	2.75	2.35	2.00

There is a big market for these delicious Blueberries; they make money from any type of acid soil. Grow in big clusters—3000 to 5000 quarts per acre—easy to harvest, thornless. Plants last a lifetime, give bigger yields every year.

If your soil is sweet, use peat moss or partially rotted vegetable matter around the plants to create acid. The period of ripening covers several weeks; therefore harvesting can be done at leisure. Write the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., for free booklet on Blueberry culture.

Your choice of **Cabot** (early); **Rancocas** (midseason); **Rubel** (late). Use two or more varieties to cross-pollenate for best results.

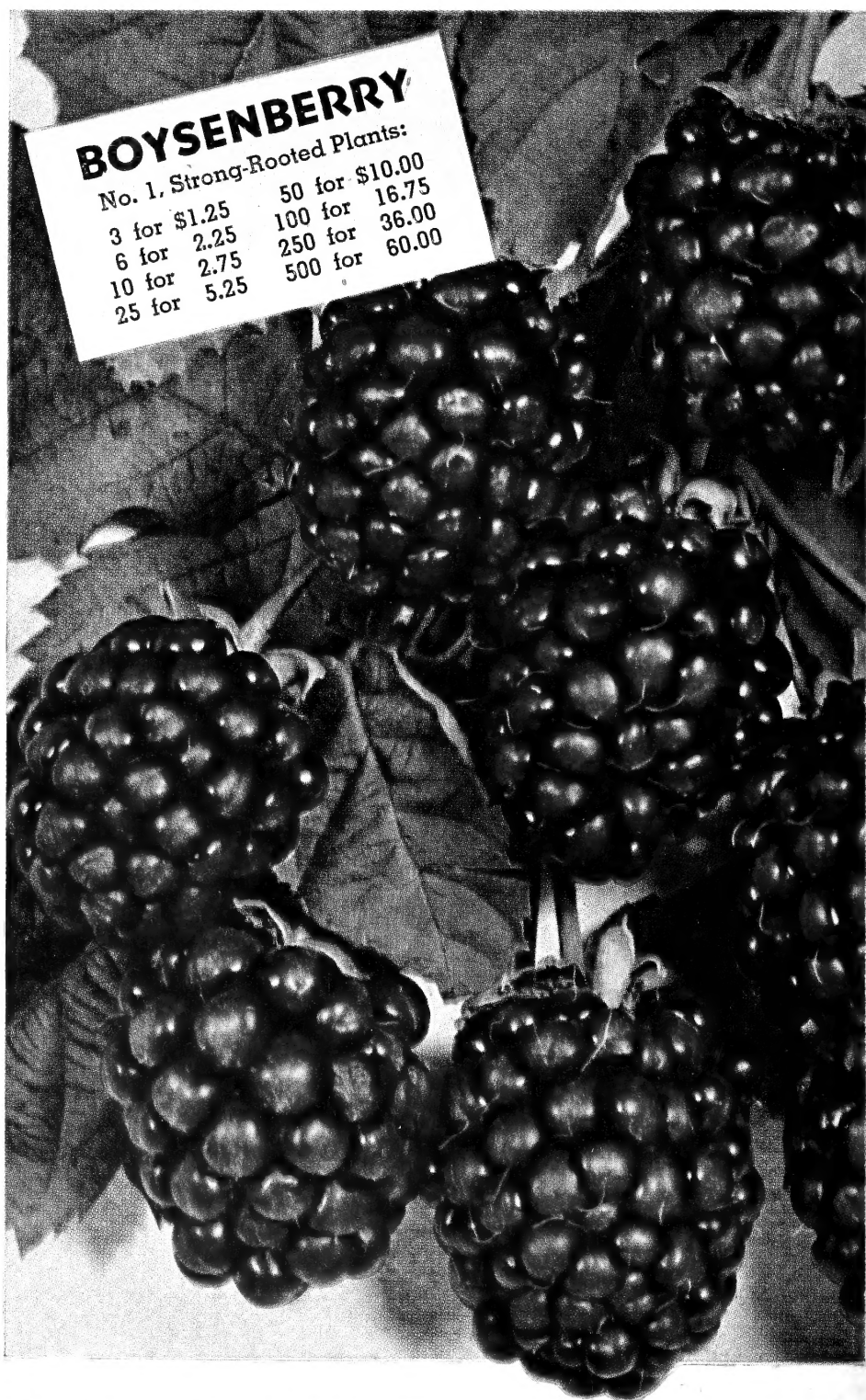
## Boysenberry

10 Plants for \$2.75

The biggest berry ever developed. Its size is unbelievable—two inches long is not unusual, three inches long not rare. Fifty of these plump, inch-thick marvels will fill a quart basket; a sight so remarkable people can't resist buying them! They are rare—they are unusual. The demand is so tremendous retailers can't get enough of them.

A cross between the California Loganberry, Raspberry and Blackberry. Just think of a berry that has a little of each of these fruits all in one giant, nearly seedless, beautiful wine colored berry, with a flavor that you will never forget. Get in on this wide-open market and make money.

Buntings' hardy No. 1 strong-rooted plants bear big crops the second year. Do not miss planting some Boysenberries in your garden this year.



### BOYSENBERRY

No. 1, Strong-Rooted Plants:

3 for	\$1.25	50 for	\$10.00
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10 for	2.75	250 for	36.00
25 for	5.25	500 for	60.00

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